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KING ADMINISTRATION TAKES OFFICE

\$400,000,000 LUMBER MERGER TO TAKE IN NEARLY HALF OF STANDING TIMBER ON COAST

Seventy Mill and Timber-holding Companies in Washington, Oregon and British Columbia Included in Big Deal, Comparable to Billion Dollar U.S. Steel Corporation Formation

Seattle, Sept. 25.—Negotiations for a \$400,000,000 merger of some seventy timber corporations in the Pacific Northwest have been virtually completed, it was learned here to-day, and now await only the approval of Eastern financial interests.

The merger plans of these North Pacific Coast lumber mills and timberland holdings, valued at nearly \$500,000,000, have been made, and next week will be laid before a group of central western and eastern bankers for capitalization on a basis that will make the proposed merger one of the largest undertaken in America since a billion-dollar combination resulted in the organization of the United States Steel Corporation more than twenty years ago.

Members of the organization committee, who are leaders in the lumber industry, met here last night before leaving for Kansas City, Mo., where they will confer with representatives of several New York banks, next week in an effort to bring the consolidation to a conclusion.

The plan, it is said, does not involve anything that might be construed as restraint of trade, inasmuch as less than fifty per cent of the timber holdings of the Northwest are represented.

OPERATION ECONOMY

Extending its operations throughout Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, the merged corporation plans on an annual production of from 2,500,000,000 to 3,000,000,000 board feet of lumber, with the additional assurance that the lumber business will be placed on a firm financial foundation, it is stated.

The plan involves economy in woods operations, control of production in accordance with market demand, greater efficiency and coordination in mill operations and co-ordination in the shipping of lumber, both by rail and water.

FOUR BIG EXCEPTIONS

Four notable exceptions in the list of companies participating in the proposed merger are said to be the Weyerhaeuser interests, the Long-Bell Lumber Company of Longview; the Juman Fork Lumber Company and the Eastern and Western Lumber Company of Portland.

C. D. Johnson, president of the Pacific Spruce Corporation and chairman of the organization committee, said to-day:

First Bobbed-hair Queen to Visit Canada is Marie

Bucharest, Rumania, Sept. 25.—Queen Marie will have the distinction of being the first bobbed-hair queen to visit North America. The queen will leave for Canada and the United States next month. Queen Marie sacrificed her hair some time ago after an attack of influenza. She found bobbed hair so convenient and comfortable that she has virtually decided to continue to wear her hair short.

THREE MEN KILLED IN MINE ACCIDENT

Rescuers Work to Release Forty-three Men Imprisoned in Michigan Pit

Ironwood, Mich., Sept. 25.—The bodies of three miners were removed from the wreck of the Pabst Mine shaft here to-day as rescuers cut and dug their way into the debris to release forty-three other workers imprisoned by an avalanche of rock yesterday.

Officials of the Oliver Iron Mining Company, owners of the mine, said there was every indication the imprisoned men were safe.

BOULDERS BROKE AWAY

Loosened by vibration, boulders a short distance from the surface shortly before noon yesterday broke through the concrete slabs which braced the surface of the 2,600-foot inclined shaft of the mine.

The boulders tore out, snapping steel supports, and bounded down the incline. As one plunged down another was loosened, to fall in a few moments on the pile of debris at the bottom of the shaft.

The travelling steel cage of the shaft was below the break in the shaft wall. The cage, caught by the first mass of boulders, was torn from the cable and shot down the 45 degree incline with terrific speed.

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NEW GOVERNOR ON WAY TO CANADA; LORD WILLINGDON



London, Sept. 25.—Viscount Willingdon, who is to succeed Baron Byng as Governor-General of Canada, left here for Southampton to-day, accompanied by Viscountess Willingdon, to board the liner Empress of Scotland.

Right Hon. L. C. Amery, Secretary for the Dominions, and other prominent persons were at the railway station and bade the couple good-bye.

BRITISH INTERESTS GET P.S.E. FACTS

Old Country Syndicates Send Engineers to B.C. to Size up Proposed Purchase

No Substantial Proposition Laid Before Government Yet, Says Premier

British Columbia's offer to sell the Pacific Great Eastern Railway at a sacrifice price is attracting attention not only in Canada but in Britain, communications received by the Provincial Government show.

Whether these inquiries about the line will produce a definite deal which could go before the Legislature for its approval at its next session cannot be predicted now. To questions on the subject Premier Oliver replied to-day: "Nothing substantial is before the Government yet."

MANY INQUIRIES
Mr. Oliver admitted that the Government had received communications on the possibility of a sale from many quarters and had discussed the proposition recently with representatives of various interests.

Two British syndicates have made offers but any proposals they may make to advance will be carefully considered. Their experts who have conducted an exhaustive investigation into the condition and prospects of the B.C. railway during the last summer. Their experts who have conducted this study are reporting to their principals now.

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KING TO ATTEND EMPIRE CONFERENCE

New Parliament of Canada to Meet First Week in December

Customs Commission to be Enlarged From One to Three Members

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—Premier King announced this afternoon that he would attend the Imperial Conference in London.

Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, will accompany him. Possibly other ministers will go with him.

Parliament probably will be called to meet during the first week in December. At the first session another portfolio will be created to make possible the inclusion in the Cabinet of a minister from Prince Edward Island.

The Customs Commission will be enlarged to three and will proceed immediately to continue the investigation. Sir Francis Lemieux will remain as chairman of the commission.

CHRISTMAS ADJOURNMENT
The session of Parliament will be a regular session, with an adjournment over Christmas.

There will be no change in the Speakership, either of the Senate or the House of Commons.

INSURANCE EXPERTS END SESSIONS HERE

Officers Elected To-day at Closing Meeting of Convention

With the election of Henry Brice of Edmonton as president the ninth annual conference of the Association of Superintendents of Insurance for the provinces of Canada, which has been in session here most of the week, closed this afternoon.

O. E. Sharpe of Quebec was elected vice-president. E. Leighton-Foster of Ontario was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

It was announced that next year's meeting probably will be held in Quebec, which extended a formal invitation to the convention.

The conference completed all its reports to-day, and these reports will be passed on to each of the Canadian provinces for legislative or other action governing the operation of all forms of insurance.

J. P. Dougherty of British Columbia was lauded and thanked for his management of the convention as most province superintendent.

Bonnie Maggie is Aqueduct Winner

New York, Sept. 25.—The Belair Stable's Bonnie Maggie, a 3 to 1 choice, won the Junior Champion Stakes, \$5,000 added, two-year-old feature at the Aqueduct track to-day.

Bois de Rose was second in front of Recreation. The winner went the mile in 1:42.1-5.

DR. P. D. MOORE BAIL \$30,000

Port Angeles, Sept. 25.—Judge W. O. Chapman of Tacoma, sitting in the Clallam County Superior Court here to-day, fixed bail for Dr. Paul D. Moore of Sequim, Wash., and Nashville, Tenn., at \$30,000 and set trial for November 15. Moore is accused of killing his wife with poison.

DEEP SNOWDRIFTS IN SASKATCHEWAN

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IS AGAIN HEAD OF FEDERAL MINISTRY



RT. HON. MACKENZIE KING

ALL MEMBERS OF NEW CABINET ARE LIBERALS

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—Premier King announced this afternoon that all the members of the new Government had come in as Liberals, the Liberal-Progressives of Manitoba having consented to the entry of Hon. Robert Forke, Minister of Immigration, on that basis. The Liberal-Progressive group in Manitoba will support the Government in its present policies.

IMMIGRATION IS WARMLY DEBATED

Labor Congress of Canada Declines to Declare Only For English-speaking

The resignation of Mr. Meighen was accompanied by a statement from the former Premier that he did not purpose to contest a seat in the House of Commons. A conference of Senators, members and defeated candidates of the Conservative Party will be held in Ottawa October 11 and then Mr. Meighen intends to retire from the leadership of the party.

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Administration Chosen by People of Canada in Office Soon After Resignation of Meighen Cabinet; British Columbia's Representative Is Hon. J. H. King; Meighen Announces He Will Resign as Conservative Leader; Not Seeking Election to Parliament

Ottawa, Sept. 25 (Canadian Press).—The new Government, headed by Premier Mackenzie King, is now in office. At noon to-day Mr. King, accompanied by his Ministers, took the oath before Governor-General Byng at Rideau Hall. Earlier in the morning Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, accompanied by three of the members of his Cabinet, had tendered his resignation to the Governor-General. The change of Governments was effected smoothly and in a couple of hours.

The Cabinet slate follows forecasts. The portfolio of National Defence is not yet filled, but Premier King stated when announcing his Government that he hoped to be able to give out the name of the Defence Minister next week. It is understood Lieut.-Col. J. L. Ralston of Halifax is the choice for this portfolio, but some difficulty is being experienced in finding a Nova Scotia seat for him.

There is only one Minister without portfolio in the new Cabinet—Hon. Raoul Dandurand, Government leader in the Senate. It is possible there may be others later.

The Department of the Secretary of State is revived as a separate portfolio and Hon. Fernand Rinfret of Montreal is the new Minister.

The Departments of Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment are again separated from the Ministry of Labor and placed under the direction of Hon. J. H. King, who was formerly Minister of Public Works. Labor is under the direction of Hon. Peter Heenan, a new figure in the Cabinet.

Hon. Robert Forke, former leader of the Progressive Party, is another new member of the Cabinet. He is Minister of Immigration.

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REPORTED APPOINTMENT BY DELEGATES IN OTTAWA OCT. 11 ONLY TEMPORARY

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—In a front page feature under the heading, "The leadership," The Ottawa Journal to-day, after announcing the resignation of Right Hon. Arthur Meighen from the leadership of the Federal Conservative Party, which will be submitted to the conference of party leaders here October 11, said:

"What action the conference which is to meet October 11 will take upon Mr. Meighen's resignation it is impossible to say. The probability is strong pressure will be brought to bear upon him to remain as leader, but Mr. Meighen's decision, it is thought by those very close to him, is final."

"In that event, in the event of its being found impossible to have him withdraw his resignation, it is considered probable the conference will select a new leader, with the understanding, however, that the final choice in the matter must be left to a national Conservative convention to be held in the capital as soon as it can be properly organized."

MEIGHEN'S FUTURE
"Of Mr. Meighen's plans for the immediate future he has made nothing definite known. It is no secret that during the past four or five years he has been the recipient of a number of flattering offers of posts that would have brought him infinitely greater financial reward than public life, and it is believed likely the next month or two will see him established in some important capacity in one of the larger cities of Canada. Before actively taking up his duties, however, he will probably go for a much-needed rest."

NATIONAL DEFENCE
The portfolio of National Defence, which was not filled to-day, probably will be assigned next week. Premier King intimated this afternoon he hoped to have something definite regarding this cabinet post within the first few days of the week. It is stated on the highest authority Mr. King still hopes to secure Lieut.-Col. J. L. Ralston, K.C., Halifax, as Minister of National Defence.

P. E. I. MINISTER
In announcing his Cabinet this afternoon, Mr. Mackenzie King pointed out no Cabinet appointment had been made from Prince Edward Island.

"Prince Edward Island has not been overlooked," he said. "I hope to have a minister from that province in the new Cabinet."

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LEAGUE ASSEMBLY ENDS ITS SESSIONS

Geneva, Sept. 25.—The Seventh Assembly of the League of Nations, which convened September 3, adjourned to-night.

PUBLISHERS END SESSIONS TO-DAY

Hear Addresses by Attorney-General Manson and C. Banfield, King's Printer

The Alberta and British Columbia and Yukon Press Associations will conclude their convention at the Empress Hotel to-day. This morning addresses by Hon. A. M. Manson, Attorney-General of B.C., and Charles Banfield, King's Printer, British Columbia, took up the greater part of the time of the delegates.

In a speech on "Citizenship" Mr. Manson showed the relation between press and politics from the politician's standpoint. He pointed to flaws which he could see in the newspaper of to-day just as the newspapers pointed to flaws in politicians.

Mr. Banfield, touching on the development of the printing business, took as a model of a modern establishment the government printing plant. Provincial Parliament buildings. At the conclusion of the morning session about forty-five or fifty delegates visited the plant, over which they were shown by the King's printer.

At this afternoon's meeting under the chairmanship of the British Columbia and Yukon president, J. A. Bates of White Rock, officers for the ensuing session about forty-five or fifty delegates visited the plant, over which they were shown by the King's printer.

Important business has been discussed by the delegates at the session's primary motive of the convention being an interchanging of ideas for their mutual benefit.

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If this far-reaching scheme cannot be effected under the present law the delegation urged that the law be amended to cover it.

OBJECT TO NEW SCALE

In their memorandum the lumbermen summed up their objections to the new wage law in principle and also to the manner of its enforcement. They protested against the application of the law to them first before the lumber industries are affected, declared it would be disastrous to business and warned the Government that it would defeat its own end by increasing the number of Orientals in the industry.

The first part of the memorandum read: "This delegation, representing the lumber manufacturers of the lower mainland and Vancouver Island, being concerned about the application of the Minimum Wage Act, and after having carried on negotiations with the Board appointed by the Government under the Act, and after having received unofficial notification from the Board of its method of applying the Act, now come before the Government to register its objection."

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RESULTS OF FOOTBALL GAMES IN BRITAIN

Bolton Defeats Aston Villa 4 to 3; Birmingham-Bury Game a Draw

London, Sept. 25.—Football games played to-day resulted as follows:

ENGLISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Aston Villa 3, Bolton 4.
Birmingham 2, Bury 2.
Cardiff 0, Manchester United 2.
Leeds 4, Arsenal 1.
Leicester 4, Blackburn 0.
Liverpool 0, Everton 1.
Newcastle 2, Sheffield United 1.
The Wednesday 1, Huddersfield 1.
Tottenham 3, West Bromwich 0.
West Ham 1, Sunderland 2.

SECOND DIVISION

Barnsley 0, Notts Forest 2.
Chelsea 2, Fulham 2.
Darlington 4, Reading 2.
Hull City 0, Port Vale 0.
Manchester City 3, Swansea 1.
Notts County 3, Clapton 1.
Norwich 1, Walsall 1.
Preston 2, Bradford City 2.
South Shields 1, Southampton 2.
Wolverhampton 1, Middlesbrough 2.

THIRD DIVISION
Northern Section
Accrington 2, Crewe A. 1.
Bradford 2, Nelson 2.
Doncaster 2, New Brighton 2.
Durham 2, Hartlepool United 1.
Halifax 1, Walsall 1.
Lincoln City 3, Barrow 1.
Rochdale 1, Southport 0.
Rotherham 0, Chesterfield 4.
Stoke City 1, Walsingham 0.
Tranmere Rovers 0, Stockport 0.
Wigan 1, Wrexham 1.
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LUMBERMEN PROPOSE CONCRETE PROGRAMME FOR FREEING LUMBER INDUSTRY OF ORIENTAL WORKERS

Definite plans by which Orientals would be eliminated from the lumber industry of British Columbia over a period of years through successive reductions in their numbers were laid before the Government here yesterday by the large lumbermen's delegation which appeared to protest against the workings of the new minimum wage law.

In a carefully-prepared memorandum, which was made public after the meeting with the Cabinet, the lumbermen outlined a scheme by which they would voluntarily accomplish the chief object of the Act—the reduction of Asiatic labor to a minimum.

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NEWBURY CUP WON BY TRY TRY AGAIN

Newbury, Eng., Sept. 25 (Canadian Press Cable).—Try Try Again won the Newbury Cup to-day with Pons Astorrum second and Mafoota third. Try Try Again won by half a length and the same distance separated the second and third horses. Eight ran.

The betting was 7 to 1 against the winner, 5 to 4 against the second horse and 7 to 1 against Mafoota. In the special place betting Try Try Again was 5 to 4 against and Mafoota 6 to 4 against.

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Eastern Washington Has a Cold Wave

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THE NEW CABINET

THE CABINET ANNOUNCED BY PREMIER Mackenzie King to-day follows closely the forecast published in The Times a few days ago, although there are several notable variations. Hon. Peter Heenan of Kenora-Rainy River, becomes Minister of Labor, and Hon. J. C. Elliott, who held that portfolio in the last King Cabinet, goes to the Department of Public Works formerly administered by Hon. J. H. King. The Minister from British Columbia takes the Department of Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment. Hon. P. J. Veniot of New Brunswick is Postmaster-General, and Hon. Lucien Cannon, who was expected to have the Post Office Department, remains Solicitor-General. The portfolio of Defence has not been filled, but is expected to go to Lieut.-Col. Ralston of Halifax. The other posts have been supplied as predicted, the new Ministers being Hon. Robert Forke, Immigration, Hon. James Malcolm, who becomes Minister of Trade and Commerce, Hon. W. D. Euler, Minister of Customs and Excise, and Hon. Fernand Rinfret, who has the post of Secretary of State. A portfolio is to be assigned to Prince Edward Island following a departmental reorganization.

There will be widespread regret over the loss to British Columbia of the important portfolio of Public Works, which has been efficiently held by Hon. J. H. King from 1921 until the recent change of government. This department controls expenditures on the construction and maintenance of Dominion works and was of special service to this Province on account of its contribution to the development of our ports. Vancouver, Victoria, New Westminster, Prince Rupert and Nanaimo had much to gain from the retention of Hon. J. H. King as head of this department, but having rejected the policies and projects devised so largely in its interest, British Columbia could not expect fairly to retain its advantage in this respect in the face of the pressure exercised by Ontario, which had given substantial support to Liberal policy.

When it has been finally completed the Cabinet will be well balanced. The West will have five Ministers, representing four provinces. It is gratifying to note that most of the former Ministers, all of whom are now experienced administrators and some of whom are exceptionally able men, have remained in the new Government. Hon. J. A. Robb will continue his good work as Minister of Finance, Hon. Ernest Lapointe is again Minister of Justice and the dynamic Hon. C. A. Dunning retains the Department of Railways with its vast ramifications. Hon. J. H. King's professional training should help him to give a particularly effective administration of the Department of Health and Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, which should be regarded as one of the most important branches of the public service. The Doctor should have an opportunity of emphasizing the fact that public health has more to do with the happiness and prosperity of the country than most of the other factors to which more prominence has been given.

MORE BUSINESS NECESSARY

MAYOR PENDRAY IS GIVING VICTORIA a good deal of the most valuable sort of publicity by the addresses he has been delivering in Seattle. They are very interested in civic affairs in the Puget Sound city and when our chief magistrate tells them about Victoria's progress he is addressing an audience of 400,000 people. It is not always possible to crowd many of the important details into even the most ambitious piece of advertising literature. Mayor Pendray is thus rendering useful service in his own way.

There is undoubtedly a quality of civic pride in Seattle which has a very valuable effect upon that community's progress. For more than a week prior to the opening of the new theatre on Fifth Avenue on Thursday the whole city had been decorated in honor of the event. This form of celebration may be overdone at times. But nobody ever heard of harm coming to a city because its citizens occasionally got excited about its rapid strides towards greater prosperity. On the contrary, it is that spirit which produces thriving communities and distinguishes them from the slower-moving towns and villages.

Civic pride and community loyalty are not merely terms to be employed on such occasions as the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce or at a municipal banquet. They should be understood and interpreted in a practical way by every citizen. There is no other way to more business and more prosperity. Victoria can be developed only by Victorians. Waiting for something to turn up, so to speak, is merely standing aside while other cities go by. Let us have a little more determination to make this place hum with activity. We shall never get anywhere by advertising it as a "quaint" city, "a little bit of old England on the shores of the Pacific," as if it were an ancient ruin. We want business not bath-chair parties.

MR. MEIGHEN TO RETIRE

RIGHT HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN'S announcement of his intention to retire from the leadership of the Conservative Party was expected by political observers. Since he succeeded Sir Robert Borden six years ago his party has sustained three defeats while he has been defeated twice in his own constituency, a combination of adversities which very few leaders could survive anywhere. For more than a year his leadership has been attacked from certain influential sources on the Conservative side, and this tide of dissatisfaction within the party was bound to be broadened by the result of the recent election. Judging by the utterances of Mr. Rogers and others the stage appears to be set for a serious family conflict. Mr. Meighen's retirement might avert this development, providing a successor can be found who will be satisfactory to the various disappointed elements.

Mr. Meighen entered Federal public life in 1908 with the promise of a successful career. He was a keen student of public affairs, very industrious and became an able debater. In those days he was an ardent westerner and a staunch advocate of a low tariff. Indeed, he attacked the Liberal tariff because he thought it was too high. In other respects, too, he betrayed radical tendencies. Unfortunately, he eventually fell under the influence of the "practical politicians" in the Conservative Party, and as time went by tried to play their game, for which he was not fitted either by temperament or personality. Under the leadership of a man like Sir John Macdonald or Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Mr. Meighen might have developed into a statesman of eminence. Association with politicians of the Rogers school spoiled him. His Hamilton speech on Canada's war-time relations was an attempt to play politics which turned out disastrously. His recent campaign was unworthy of his attainments and ideals, and probably nobody realizes this better than himself. Perhaps, some day he will have other opportunities of showing his real mettle, of employing in the country's interests his undoubted talents without the handicap of an absurd "Board of Strategy" and the importunities of so-called practical politicians.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

THE SITTING TIGHT POLICY
From The Christian Science Monitor

While it may not be conceded by those out of sympathy, politically, with the party in power in times of widespread prosperity that adherence to sound policies has had anything to do with lysing about or stabilizing acceptable economic conditions, it is a recognized fact that a sudden change, at such times, of national leadership and national policies has resulted in a period of serious depression. So frequently has this occurred that the political party in power during a period of unusual prosperity holds a distinct advantage in the battle waged in an effort to displace it. Those responsible for holding the ship of state to a steady course at such a time have little to do but sit tight and let the opposition do the worrying.

Golden Rod Gains In Favor

By ARTHUR N. PACK

When the shortening days of Summer merge gradually into those of early Autumn, and most of the more showy flowers have dropped their withered petals and are ripening their seeds, the golden rod and ragweed have their day.

By the dusty roadside, along the edges of fields where the crop of grain or forage has been garnered, the stream plying its course toward the river, or even taking possession of the broad acres of an abandoned stretch of hillside or valley slope, the yellow-crowned favorite and its humbler associate fill their appointed destinies.

NATIONAL FLOWER? Few there will be to praise the ragweed, and deservedly so, for we could well spare that troublesome plant, with its myriad scattering seeds, planting trouble for the gardener of next year. Only the juncos and sparrows from the north, that hardy tribe whose boreal nesting races lead to visit us only in the Winter months, have cause to bless its fecundity.

But the golden rod—who, unless he be a martyr to hay-fever, and believes that this particular plant causes it, does not love its belated beauty? So universally is it held in esteem that it has been seriously considered as a candidate for the honor of being the national flower.

GAINING IN FAVOR

With a few exceptions the species are American, and a majority of the hundred-odd are North American. They vary much in habit of growth, some flowering in a simple spike, while others branch in various ways. Though golden rods have been little appreciated as garden plants, it is believed that they are gaining in favor. They improve by cultivation, the plants growing larger and more shapely, and the blooms fuller and more richly colored. They are easily transplanted and may thus be arranged to give the most pleasing effect, especially if combined with a hedge or group of some showy shrubs which develop bright contrasting colors as Autumn approaches.

A THOUGHT

Neither filthiness, nor foolish talking nor jesting, which are not convenient; but rather giving of thanks.—Eph. v. 4.
Humor is the mistress of tears.—Thackeray.

Do You Mean What You Say?

The Register and Tribune Syndicate,
Des Moines

"A MUFF"

The term "muff" now refers to one easily taken advantage of or likely to become a prey to the sharp-witted. It was first applied to an effeminate dandy who, at one time, like the ladies, carried a muff to keep his hands warm. Thus he was incapacitated for defending himself with his sword against an unexpected attack at the hands of a street bully, and hence a "muff" was easily robbed. Now that muffs for the ladies are again in vogue it is possible that the term may be popularized once more.

THE WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Published by the
Victoria Daily Times

Weather Department

Victoria, Sept. 25.—5 a.m.—The barometer remains high over this Province and fine, cold weather has been general. The temperatures are rising in the Prairie Provinces.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.27; temperature, maximum yesterday, 67; minimum, 44; wind, 12 miles N.E.; weather, clear.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 44; wind, 12 miles N.E.; weather, clear.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.42; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 38; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Barceloche—Barometer, 30.43; temperature, maximum yesterday, 42; minimum, 22; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.40; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 34; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.32; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 31; wind, 4 miles N.E.; weather, clear.
Tatoush—Barometer, 30.25; temperature, maximum yesterday, 54; minimum, 46; wind, 32 miles E.; weather, clear.
Fortland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 46; wind, 10 miles N.E.; weather, clear.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.22; temperature, maximum yesterday, 55; minimum, 44; wind, 12 miles N.E.; weather, clear.
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.92; temperature, maximum yesterday, 89; minimum, 58; wind, calm; weather, clear.
Swift Current—Temperature, minimum yesterday, 8; snow, trace.
Calgary—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 46; minimum, 32; snow, trace.
Regina—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 39; minimum, 12; snow, trace.
Winnipeg—Temperature, maximum yesterday, 36; minimum, 20; snow, 6.

Temperature
Victoria Max. Min.
Vancouver 55 34
Penticton 52 ..
Grand Forks 49 ..
Nelson 45 ..
Edmonton 36 20
O'Appelle 30 10
Moose Jaw 30 18
Toronto 30 ..
Ottawa 29 ..
Montreal 26 ..
St. John 24 ..
Halifax 22 ..

Sidney

Sidney, Sept. 25.—A most enjoyable dance was given in Berquist Hall on Thursday evening under the auspices of the Sidney Social Club. About 100 people were present, many coming from Keatings, Saanichton and Victoria. Hunt's orchestra supplied the music. Miss Adeline Crossley played for the supper dances. Dancing was continued until 1 o'clock. A delicious supper was served, the tables were prettily decorated with bowls of asters and dahlias. Mrs. Crossley was the convener of the supper, assisted by the members. Coffee was poured by G. Lloyd, W. and J. Crossley, F. Lidgate and H. McKillican. Great credit is due to the committee, F. Lidgate and G. Lloyd, for the successful evening.

There is to be a special rally at the United Church on Sunday, September 26, at 7.30. It is to be an occasion for rallying of the different church organizations throughout Canada before the Winter season starts.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Cochran and Charles Cochran of Roberts' Point have gone for a motor trip to California.

J. J. White and J. Green of the Ashcroft ferry have gone for shooting and fishing trip to Strathcona Park and Butte Lake.

Mrs. J. Cumming and Miss Cumming of Seattle are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Thornley, Fourth Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Reid and family who have been here all the Summer have now gone to Blaine.

Col. C. Peck, V.C., M.P.P., of All Bay, has returned home after spending some time in Skeena and Prince Rupert.

Miss M. Reid of Winnipeg is staying with Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre, Third Street.

Major and Mrs. Buck have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. I. Lang of North Salt Spring Island.

Mrs. Seabrook Young of Seattle has been visiting friends here.

H. Palmer, who has been ticket agent for the ferries, and Mrs. Palmer have gone to Vancouver before returning to Victoria.

R. Reid, who for the last year has been in Prince Rupert, is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. McIntyre, Third Street.

F. Wallis, of Queen's Avenue, has

Kirk's Wellington 139

gone for a shooting trip up the lake and.

Mr. Jackson of Deep Bay has returned from a trip to Oyster River.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Whiting of Sixth Street announce the engagement of their second daughter Phyllis to Walter Robert McAdams. The wedding will take place in October in St. Andrew's Church.

WELCOME GIVEN VISITING EDITORS IN SESSION HERE

Alberta, B.C. and Yukon Publishers Guests of Local Newspapers

Asserting that he looked forward with confidence to the time when British Columbia and Alberta would be the front door instead of the back door of Canada, Premier John Oliver welcomed to Victoria the delegates to the Alberta and British Columbia and Yukon Press Associations at an informal banquet at the Empress Hotel last night. The delegates and their wives were the guests of the management of The Times and Colonist.

The provinces of Alberta and British Columbia were the A.B.C. of Canada, said the Premier. He looked forward to the time when their leadership would be recognized in the Dominion.

His Honor R. R. Bruce, Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, attended the banquet, accompanied by A. M. D. Fairbairn, his secretary, who represented his honor prior to the latter's arrival. Allan Cameron, secretary of the C.P.R., was another guest. In the unavoidable absence of Mayor J. Carl Pendray, Alderman William Marchant represented the city. Frank Burd, representative of the daily press, was called upon and expressed his appreciation of this distinction.

B. C. Nicholas of The Times was in the chair. R. B. Dunn represented The Colonist.

VALUE OF WEEKLIES

In a brief address the Lieutenant-Governor extended hearty greetings to the association. Remarking that much newspaper had played an important part in the development of Western Canada, he characterized them as "essentially the farmers' paper," and the farmer representing one of the greatest sources of Canada's wealth, the weekly was therefore more important than the daily in his estimation. Furthermore, the weekly went into more homes than the daily, as, for instance, The London Weekly Times. He thought the weekly papers did not get anything like the appreciation they ought to have. They do a wonderful work, not only in the spreading of agricultural knowledge to the farmers, but also in the social life of the farmers' wives and daughters. His Honor added. The weekly paper could and did do a tremendous lot in making its district prosperous by writing about its products. It would mean much to the Dominion if, through all such local channels, there were conducted a campaign to educate the people of Canada to consume first local, then Canadian, products. The effect would be inter-active, the papers helping to make the district and the district, in its turn, helping the papers.

CONSUMERS' DUTY

Turing to Premier Oliver. His Honor remarked that British Columbia was still sending out something like \$16,000,000 worth of produce, a great deal of which was produced right in the Province. There was evidence of carelessness on the part of the consumer, who should see that, so far as possible, the things which he used were grown in British Columbia. The same applied to Alberta. In conclusion, Mr. Bruce referred to the importance of Canadian wheat, apples, zinc and lead and other products in the building up of Western Canadian ports.

The mutual dependence of the two Western provinces was indicated by the chairman. The prosperity of British Columbia depended very largely on the prosperity of Alberta, and vice-versa, and he would like to see the two provinces united under the influence of a common purpose.

British Columbia, Premier Oliver stated, regarded either from the standpoint of its natural resources or climate and scenery, was a wonderful country. Alberta, at present the most backward of the three prairie provinces, would in time be the wealthiest of the three, possessing as it did great resources in the way of mineral oils.

Cecil Heaton led the party in community singing. Harold Diggon performed sleight-of-hand tricks. Mrs. Jesse Longfield and P. H. Hughes rendered solos.

Hearty thanks were extended to those who contributed to the excellent programme.

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Point Grey Golfers Here For Match With Uplands Golf Team

A team of golfers from the Point Grey Golf Club will play a match with the Uplands Golf Club tomorrow. The draw for the foursomes was made this morning and is as follows:

9.00 a.m.—Firth and Lesage vs. Hiberson and Carr.
9.05—Maxwell and Harris vs. Henchall and Travis.
9.10—English and Brodie vs. V. Gravin and Lawrie.
9.15—McKenzie and Eldson vs. Sheret and Hall.
9.20—McKay and Houston vs. Reschey and Glazan.
9.25—Standard and Griffiths vs. Unsworth and Aaronson.
9.30—Macken and Ostrander vs. Hunning and Pretty.
9.35—Kennedy and Mottishaw vs. Jeffrey and Paik.
9.40—Ayton and McCorkindale vs. W. Gravin and Price.
9.45—Cunningham and Knickerbocker vs. Leith and Challoner.
9.50—Suttle and Wilson vs. Foulis and Morrison.
9.55—Murray and Borland vs. Edmonds and Savident.
10.00—Sargent and Newson vs. Loveland and Blashfield.
10.05—Cornish and Ferguson vs. Elliott and Shaw.
10.10—Craig and Inglis vs. McConnell and Firth.
10.15—Cameron and Dillabough vs. Dunn and Lambert.
10.20—Naylor and Oddy vs. Smith and Jones.

Grandfather Proves Too Good For Pros In English Tourney

Richmond, Surrey, England, Sept. 25.—With his son and grandson looking on, Sandy Herd, the veteran of British golfdom, yesterday captured the British professional golfers' championship after a see-saw struggle, which ended at the thirty-eighth hole, when J. Biorham of Coventry, another veteran, missed a \$500 putt—the difference in first and second prize money. Both veteran players were on in two, but Biorham, missing a yard putt for a half, lost the match.

Herd, who is known as "the grand old man of British golf," is fifty-eight years old and played his first cham-

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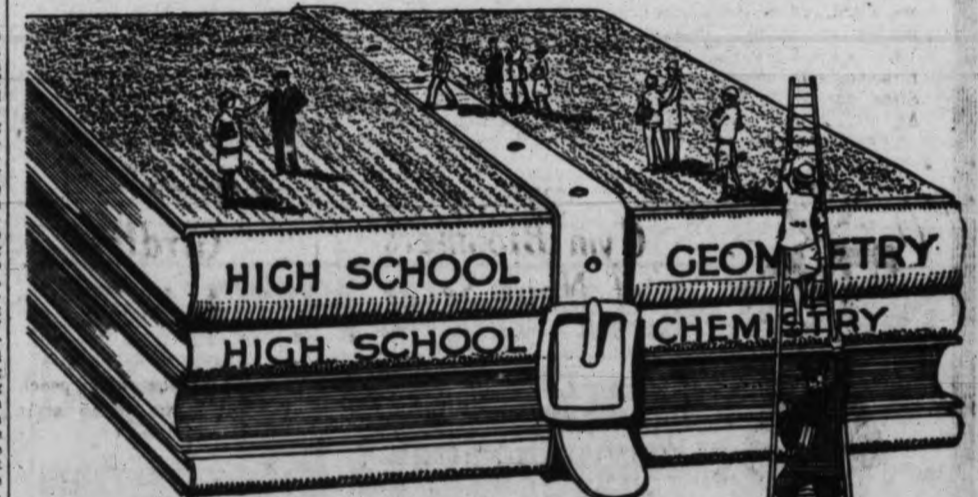
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ship match forty years ago. He won the open championship in 1902 and the professional golfers' title in 1906. He has the distinction of having seventeen holes in one stroke to his credit, during his many years of play.

ELECTION RETURN

Prince Rupert, Sept. 25.—With all Federal polls heard from, the majority for J. C. Brady, Conservative candidate in Skeena, is 327. The last poll to report was Rivers Inlet, which gave Brady forty-four and Stork, Liberal, thirty-seven.



How high will Your Boy's Education Let Him Climb?

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If you give your boy a High School education, he will earn \$78,000.00, according to the law of averages as worked out by Dean Everett W. Lord.

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Girls' Sweaters For School

All Wool Pullover Sweaters in fancy designs and stripe effects of assorted colors. Very smart and dressy. Sizes for 6 to 14 years at \$3.75
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Women's Flannelette Gowns For Fall and Winter

Flannelette Gowns in slipover style, finished with colored hemstitching, in shades of peach, blue, pink and white. Good quality. On sale, each \$1.15
Slipover Flannelette Gowns, good full size with round neck and short sleeves, trimmed with colored stitching. On sale, each \$1.25
Oversize Flannelette Gowns, slipover style with V or round neck, with short sleeves. On sale for \$1.25
Oversize Flannelette Gowns, with V or high neck and long sleeves, neatly trimmed with embroidery. On sale, each at \$1.85
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All Wool Plain Knit Cardigans

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—Sweaters, First Floor

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White Flannelette of soft finish for children's wear; 27 inches wide. A yard 20¢
29 inches wide. A yard 25¢
Wider width, 34 inches for women's wear. A yard 30¢
Horrockses Flannelette. A yard 35¢, 39¢, 50¢ and 55¢
Horrockses Twill Flannelette. A yard, 36-inch 60¢
Stripe Flannelette for children's wear. Will wash well; 30 inches wide. A yard 25¢
Saxony Flannelette, plain delicate shades of rose, sky and peach, 28-inch. A yard 25¢
34 inches wide. A yard 35¢
Robing Flannelette, heavy texture and washes well. Fancy checks of mauve, biscuit, blue, pink and other new shades, 27-inch. A yard 59¢
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New Spun Silk Overblouses

Overblouses of fine quality Spun Silk, stylish models with long sleeves, tailored cuffs, and convertible collars. Trimmed on collar, cuffs and front with fine pin tucks, plain hem at bottom and one pocket; sizes 34 to 44, very neat fitting, at \$5.95
—Blouses, First Floor

Rose Marie Girdles At \$8.50

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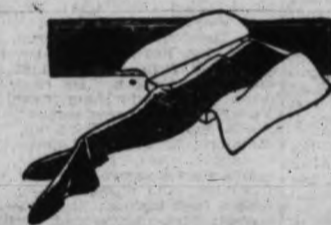
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Penman's Black Worsted Ribbed Hose, knit from all wool yarns and spliced for wear at heels and toes; sizes 6 to 10½, at 60¢

Medium Weight English Golf Hose, knit from English all wool yarns, ribbed style with fancy roll tops; sizes 6 to 10½, at 59¢

Boys' Serviceable Ribbed Golf Hose with roll tops and spliced feet. Light and dark grey and heather brown; sizes 7 to 10, a pair 75¢

Children's Serviceable Cotton Hose, 1 and 1-rib, in black, brown and white. Have comfortable seamless feet and come in sizes 6 to 10½, a pair 25¢

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Sizes 42 and 44. A suit \$2.25

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PHOTOGRAPHERS MET IN BIG CONVENTION

Over 2,000 citizens visited the exhibition held in Seattle this week in connection with the Pacific International Photographers' Association, at which a number of Victoria studios were represented.

Mayor Bertha K. Landes took an hour off from her official duties to welcome the photographers Tuesday morning and to view the pictures. Yesterday at 8 o'clock she posed for a special portrait by Charles A. Velt of Toronto, to be donated to the mayors' gallery in the city hall by the association.

Adopting a new co-operative plan under which it is proposed to embrace as active members all the photographers in the Western United States and Canada, the association unanimously perfected an Interlocking International Photographic Service Association with the P.I.P.A. The new system calls for the employment of an executive manager, co-operative advertising, educational and membership campaigns, and the adoption of an emblem to be placed on all work and displayed by all photographers. It links the three branches of photography, portrait, commercial and master finishers into one compact working organization and provides a code of ethics intended to elevate the standard in all branches of the photographic business.

Committees were named for three states and Canada, the chairmen to automatically become members of the board of directors of the new organization. The committees follow: Washington—Portrait: P. H. Ingalls, Spokane; Sam Walters and M. R. Grady, Seattle. Master finishers: M. F. Juke, Bellingham; Bryant Henders, Everett. Commercial: J. I. Webster, Rose Morgan and Walter Miller, Seattle.

Oregon—Portrait: R. Arne, Katharine Gunnell, D. Perry Evans, Commercial: J. H. Gendler, Fred Clark and Leo F. Simon, Portland. Master finishers: William Ball C. M. Coffey and Fred Mayer.

California—J. Calvin, Cooley, Los Angeles; G. Edward Williams and F. A. Webster, Commercial: Ford Samuel, Oakland; Harold McCurry and Lawrence Morton, Master finishers: Siegmund Blumann, editor Camera Craft, San Francisco; H. Cook and C. G. Hanson.

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SOCIAL PERSONAL WOMEN'S AFFAIRS CLUB NEWS

MISS H. MACKENZIE HONORED BY CLUB

Reception-recital of Ladies' Musical Club Was Most Enjoyable

With an éclat which bodes well for the success of its various activities this year, the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club opened its 1926-7 season with a delightful social gathering at the Alexandra House yesterday afternoon. Miss Helen Mackenzie was the guest of honor and a large turnout of old and new members assembled to welcome the chateaufort of Government House.

Chrysanthemums, Michaelmas daisies and Autumn leaves were used in lavish profusion to decorate the ballroom with charming effect, the flowers being the gift of Mrs. S. MacLure, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Mrs. Gideon Hicks and Mrs. Hadden Gillespie.

In the unavoidable absence of Mrs. J. O. Cameron, the president, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, first vice-president, welcomed Miss Mackenzie in a graceful little address, adding that the club executive had arranged the gathering not only to honor the distinguished guest but also that the members might enjoy the social amenities and at the same time strengthen the Club spirit by personal contact.

A most attractive musical programme added to the pleasure of the occasion. Mrs. D. B. McCann who was in charge had enlisted the services of a number of popular artists, including Mrs. F. G. Aldous, Miss Marie McLaughlin, Miss Ida Crawford, Mrs. Jesse Longfield, who contributed vocal numbers, Miss Merle North, pianist and Mrs. Hargreaves, cellist. Mrs. McCann also sang several numbers.

Afternoon tea was served, those assisting including Mrs. Helen and Norma Macdonald, Mary Campbell, Beatrice Hicks and Connie Elford.

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CONSECRATE PATRON SAINT OF ARMEN

Villagers Fought to Protect Image First Chosen in Portugal

Lisbon, Portugal, Sept. 25.—"Our Lady of the Air" has been installed and consecrated as the patron saint of the aviators of Portugal. It is a beautiful image of the Virgin Mary, with arms uplifted toward Heaven, and it stands in a tiny chapel erected for it in the Cintra aviation camp. The ceremonies of installation and consecration were performed in the presence of Cardinal Beilo, head of the Catholic Church in Portugal; representatives of the Government and several members of the diplomatic corps.

The image is not the ancient one used by Portuguese poets, which for many hundreds of years has stood on the worn-eaten altar in a small chapel among the Serras of Non Portugal. The aviators desired to bring this ancient statue to their camp, but the people of the villages in the mountains, men, women and children—armed with pickaxes, scythes and sticks, surrounded the chapel and had the alarm sounded from the bellies of all the churches for miles around. The airman therefore were forced to abandon their plans and secure another image, far more beautiful but less historic, for their shrine on the flying field.

Jam Shower For Solarium Held At Esquimalt

The jam shower held on Thursday afternoon at the Church House, Esquimalt, under the joint auspices of the Esquimalt Hygiene Committee and the local Women's Institute, met with a good response and a nice collection of preserves will be sent to the Solarium as a result.

Mrs. Booth, president, addressed the gathering on the benefits received by little sufferers from the Solarium treatment, her statement being received with sympathetic interest.

The remainder of the afternoon was spent in social intercourse. An interesting and novel feature introduced was a holiday roll, each member being called on to give an account of her holiday. The description given showed conclusively the holiday attraction offered on the island, ranging from a seven weeks' cruise around the coast, motor tours to daily picnics at delightful beaches contiguous to the city, for those unable to leave town. Afternoon tea was served.

The next meeting of the Mothers Welcome Club will be held on Thursday, October 7.

The October meeting of the Esquimalt Chapter I.O.G.E. has been postponed, owing to the absence from town of the regent, Mrs. C. P. Hill, and will be held on Tuesday, October 12, at the residence of Mrs. G. F. Clarke.

PROVINCIAL COUNCIL OF WOMEN MEETING

A meeting of the Provincial Council of Women will be held in the Victoria Club, Campbell Building, on Wednesday, September 29, at 3 p.m. Among the business on the agenda is the report of the Provincial president, Mrs. Paul Smith; and discussions on state health insurance and mental hygiene.

All members of Local Councils and of the affiliated societies are invited to attend this meeting and may take part in the discussion.

DELEGATES NAMED FOR BIG INSTITUTE CONFERENCE HERE

Islands W.I. Prepares Heavy Agenda For Three-day Sessions Oct. 19-21

Twenty-six out of the thirty-one Women's Institutes on Vancouver Island and the adjacent islands will be represented at the annual conference to be held in the Parliament Buildings on October 19, 20 and 21. This will be the largest representation since the Institutes began to finance their own conferences three years ago, and much satisfaction is experienced at the progress made by the Institutes since they established their independence.

DELEGATES NAMED

The various institutes will be represented by the following delegates: Lake Hill, Mrs. Webster; Granby, Mrs. Grundy; Victoria, Mrs. Coiby; Esquimalt, Mrs. Wise; Shawnigan Lake, Mrs. Winters; Royal Oak, Mrs. Nicholson; Cobble Hill, Mrs. McMillan; Mrs. Wacey; Vimy, Mrs. Robison; Whaletown, Mrs. Saunders; Denman Island, Mrs. Mosley; Cedar, Mrs. K. Grieve; Cortes Island, Mrs. J. W. Hurren; South Saanich, Mrs. R. Nimo; Hornby Island, Mrs. F. J. Slide; Sooke, Mrs. G. J. Muir; Veljez Island, Mrs. T. Walker; Strawberry Cove, Mrs. Williams; Lantzwood, Mrs. Vale; Mrs. Laxton and Happy Valley, Mrs. Brown; Parkville, Mrs. Hewitt; Langford, Mrs. Brown. Lazo, Metochin and Capricorn have not yet chosen their delegates.

Members of all women's institutes as well as the interested public are invited to attend the sessions, which will commence at 9:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. each day. Mrs. G. Henderson who has been attending an executive meeting of the Federated Women's Institutes in Toronto, will present her report at the sessions.

The executive in charge of arrangements are Mrs. A. Booth, president, Esquimalt; Mrs. R. E. Nimmo, vice-president, South Saanich; Mrs. S. W. Raven, secretary-treasurer, Victoria; Mrs. E. Douglas, Lake Hill; and Mrs. H. Crocker, Victoria, directors. The programme follows:

TUESDAY MORNING

Registration of delegates; silent prayer; "O Canada"; roll call; chairman's address, Mrs. G. G. Henderson; minutes 1925 conference, Mrs. Raven; address of welcome, Mrs. Booth, president District Board of Directors; reply, Mrs. McMillan, Cobble Hill Women's Institute; address of welcome to Victoria, His Worship Mayor J. C. Pendray; reply, Mrs. T. C. Robison, Vimy Women's Institute; appointment of resolutions committee; public health and child welfare, report of standing committee, Mrs. A. Taylor, Metochin Women's Institute; address, "The Neglected Child," Rev. Thos. Menzies, superintendent of neglected children, adjournment.

WEDNESDAY MORNING

Mrs. R. E. Nimmo, chairman, vice-president District Board of Directors; silent prayer; roll call; minutes of previous sessions; question box, Miss E. Douglas and Mrs. Henderson; institute reports; community betterment, report of standing committee, Mrs. Bernard, Parkville Women's Institute; superintendent's address, Mrs. V. S. MacLachlan, superintendent, Esquimalt; report of Women's Institutes; legislation, report of standing committee, Mrs. F. Campbell, Victoria, W.I.

THURSDAY MORNING

Mrs. Henderson Lawrie, Director Provincial Board of Directors; Silent prayer; roll call; minutes of preceding sessions; address, "Federated W.I. of Canada," Mrs. G. G. Henderson, first vice-president; appointment of secretaries; election board of directors; conveners of committees; home economics; report of standing committee, Mrs. G. F. Watson, Gordon Head, W.I.; agriculture, report of standing committee, Mrs. Robson, Vimy W.I.; address, "Certified Seed," C. Ties, Chief Agronomist, Department of Agriculture.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON

Mrs. Booth, chairman; "O Canada"; roll call; resolutions; final reading; unfinished business; new business; method of financing and conducting the annual conference of the Islands District W.I.; address, "British Women's Institutes," Miss Gildes; "Auld Lang Syne"; "God Save the King."

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SCOTTISH DAUGHTERS LEAGUE ANNOUNCE

that their first event of the winter season will be a dance to be held at the Regal Theatre at 8:30 o'clock on Friday, October 1. Arrangement has been made for the band of the R.A.O.B. to supply the music, and good prizes will be given. Refreshments will be served.

Sketch Club Met—The Sketch Club held its monthly meeting in the Alexandra House yesterday afternoon, when a number of sketches were submitted for criticism and John Kyle gave a most instructive talk.

Mr. and Mrs. James Garraway of Hongkong, who have been holidaying for the past four months in Victoria and the vicinity, will return to China on Thursday, September 30 on the Empress of Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley T. Davidson, who have been occupying the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Stuart, 1923 Belmont Avenue, during the summer months, are leaving to-morrow by motor for Carmel, California.

Mr. Allan Cameron, Oriental manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, and Mrs. Cameron, who arrived recently from Hongkong, the Lieutenant-Governor at Government House for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Eilers announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Belle May, to Mr. Thomas McKie Rowlands of Seattle, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rowlands, Victoria. The marriage will take place October 8.

A number of friends paid a surprise visit to the home of Mrs. Mary Herd, 1132 Johnson Street, on Thursday afternoon on the occasion of her birthday, and left with the hostess their good wishes as well as tangible evidence of their affection in the shape of flowers and other gifts.

Miss Margaret Mellor, who will leave for Vancouver shortly to resume her studies at the University of British Columbia, entertained a party at her home, 1130 Oxford Street, on Wednesday afternoon. The Misses Jean McLaughlin, Marjorie Stribling, Gertrude Hicks, Janet Pearce, Peggy Foster, Deid Genn, Eleanor Jessa and Mrs. Vickers assisted the hostess in serving tea. The guests included Mrs. L. Corke and the Misses Audrey Tripp, Margaret Umbach, Doris Woolson, Margaret Adam, Margaret Taylor, Mar-

CLUB NEWS

Mrs. David Dolg entertained at a delightful luncheon party at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Mr. Allan Watts-Jones and Mr. R. J. Darcus are spending the week-end in Seattle.

Mrs. R. D. Walkinshaw of Seattle and her little daughter, Valerie, are guests at The Angela for a few days.

Sir Chas. and Lady Piers of Vancouver are among the guests at the Glenisland Hotel.

Mrs. James Peters of Esquimalt is visiting in Vancouver the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. R. Bray.

Mrs. Walter Walker and her little son have returned to the city after spending some time visiting relatives on the prairies.

Mr. Brewster Davidson and Miss Carolyn Davidson left by motor yesterday for Carmel-by-the-Sea, California.

Mr. Percy Stott of the editorial staff of The Calgary Herald is visiting Victoria for a short holiday as the guest of relatives.

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Labor to Fight For Votes For Women in Province of Quebec

Montreal, Sept. 25.—Without any dissent the convention of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress in session here yesterday, approved of the efforts of the provincial executive of the congress in working for women's votes in the province of Quebec.

The position of the women was declared humiliating under the present status in Quebec. Many delegates declared there was no reason why women should not be allowed to vote in provincial elections.

"We do not claim that we have the brainiest women in the Dominion, though we may claim some of the most beautiful, but we still think we have women here who are quite as capable of representing the people of this province as are the women in other provinces," said Vice-President J. T. Foster.

TRIOBADORS TO HOLD "NIGHT IN HOLLYWOOD"

The TrioBADORS, whose dances are among the most popular affairs arranged for the younger set, have planned to hold a "Night in Hollywood" at the Alexandra ballroom, Courtney Street, on Friday evening, October 8. Hec Goodacre and Don Cameron, in charge of the arrangements and promise a good time to everybody.

King's Daughters—The monthly meeting of the King's Daughters will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the restaurant, when Mrs. L. H. Hardie will present her report on the international gathering held in Los Angeles recently.

St. Mark's Silver Tea—On Wednesday, September 29, St. Mark's W.A. will hold a silver tea in the hall, Boleyn Road, from 3 to 6 p.m., with a musical programme, home cooking and needlework stalls.

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7:30 p.m.—West Coast Information service.
10-11 p.m.—Ivo Henderson's Crystal Garden orchestra.
CFDC (411) Vancouver, B.C.
9 p.m.—Dinner hour programme.
CJOR (411) Vancouver, B.C.
6-7:30 p.m.—Studio programme.
CKCD (411) Vancouver, B.C.
8:30-9:30 p.m.—Studio programme.
CNRE (318.5) Edmonton, Alta.
9-10:45 p.m.—Dance programme.
CNRW (384.4) Winnipeg, Man.
8:30-9:30 p.m.—Studio programme.
KFI (407) Los Angeles, Cal.
6:30 p.m.—Shelly Players orchestra.
8:15 p.m.—KFI radio travel guide.
8:30 p.m.—Vest pocket programme.
8:45 p.m.—KFI Radiolator period.
9-10:45 p.m.—Sports revue.
9 p.m.—Weiss and his orchestra.
9 p.m.—Angus Trio.
9 p.m.—Popular programme.
9 p.m.—Packard radio club.
11-12 p.m.—KFI midnight frolic.
KFOA (454.3) Seattle, Wash.
6:15-6:45 p.m.—Sports revue.
7:45 p.m.—Travel Talk, weather report.
8-9 p.m.—Chester's entertainers.
KFWB (232) Hollywood, Cal.
6-7 p.m.—Ray Bailey's Trio.
8 p.m.—Bill Hatch and his orchestra.
9 p.m.—Popular songs, Bill Hatch and his orchestra.
10-11 p.m.—Warner Bros. Frolic.
KFWI (226) Hollywood, Cal.
12:30-2 a.m.—Pyjama party.
KGO (301.3) Oakland, Cal.
8:45 p.m.—Weekly Sport Review.
9-11 p.m.—Hotel Portland Band.
KGW (401.5) Portland, Ore.
6-7 p.m.—Dinner concert, baseball scores.
10-12 p.m.—Dance music.
KHJ (405.3) Los Angeles, Cal.
6:30-7:30 p.m.—Children's hour.
8-10 p.m.—Times programme.
KHJ (384.5) Spokane, Wash.
6-7 p.m.—Davenport Hotel Concert Orchestra.
KJR (384.4) Seattle, Wash.
5:40 p.m.—Closing N.Y. stocks.
6-8:10 p.m.—Time signals, baseball scores and weather reports.
8:30-10 p.m.—C. Warner programme.
KNX (327) Hollywood, Cal.
6:30 p.m.—Atwater Kent Orchestra.
7 p.m.—Stories of insect life.
8 p.m.—Lana Park courtesy programme.
9 p.m.—Feature programme.
10 p.m.—Ray West Coast Groove Orchestra.
11 p.m.—KNX Hollywood Night.
KQWW (266) Walla Walla, Wash.
7-7:30 p.m.—Weather, markets, talks.
8 p.m.—Studio programme.
10-12 p.m.—Orchestra.
KPO (428.3) San Francisco, Cal.
6:15 p.m.—Stock market quotations, baseball scores.
6:30-7:30 p.m.—States Restaurant Orchestra.
7-10 p.m.—Mandarin Cafe Orchestra.
10-12 p.m.—Dance orchestra.
KVW (335.4) Chicago, Ill.
7 p.m.—Music from the States.
8 p.m.—KYW's Congress Hotel concert.
9-10:30 p.m.—Classical concert.
10:30-12 p.m.—Congress carnival, Benson Orchestra.
KLOS (460.9) Independence, Mo.
8 p.m.—Studio programme.
KMOX (300.5) St. Louis, Mo.
6:30 p.m.—Jacqueline Jules, organist.
8 p.m.—KMOX Radio Orchestra.
9 p.m.—KMOX Radio Orchestra; Porter Brown, banjoist.
9 p.m.—Studio programme.
9:30 p.m.—KMOX Radio Orchestra.
10-11 p.m.—Dance orchestra.
KQIL (300.9) Council Bluffs, Iowa
6:30 p.m.—Ray-O-Vac Twins.
7:30 p.m.—Marie Uhlig, pianist.
11 p.m.—Serenaders.
KPRC (200.5) Houston, Texas
7:30 p.m.—Frank Tilton, pianist.
8:15 p.m.—Orchestra.
KTHS (374.8) Hot Springs National Park, Ark.
9:10-10 p.m.—Concert, New Arlington Hotel Orchestra.
WBAP (473.5) Ft. Worth, Texas
8:30-9 p.m.—Smith Brothers' Orchestra.
9:30-11 p.m.—Hired Hand Little Symphony.
WCCO (416.4) Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.
6:15 p.m.—Dinner concert.
8:45 p.m.—The Legend of Hiawatha.
10:05 p.m.—Dance music.
WDAF (303.4) Kansas City, Mo.
6 p.m.—School of the Air.
11:45-1 a.m.—Night Hawk Frolic.
WFAA (475.5) Dallas, Texas
6:30-7:30 p.m.—Jimmy Joy's Orchestra.
8:30-9:30 p.m.—Jack Petroleum Corporation.
11-12 p.m.—Pierce Gardner's Orchestra.
WQAW (326) Omaha, Nebr.
9 p.m.—Programme.

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RADIO NEWS AND BROADCASTS

MUSICAL SCOUTS LISTEN-IN FOR COPYRIGHT INFRINGEMENTS

Qualified Experts in Large Cities Check Up to Determine if Stations Unlawfully Broadcast Selections

In the ten years ended 1922 there were reported to be more than 200,000 musical works of United States origin copyrighted at Washington, an average of more than 20,000 a year. Eliminating the hundreds of thousands of European works which came into existence during the same period, as well as the tremendous quantity in the time preceding that decade, there are in addition the uncountable works upon which copyright has expired.

How does the American Society of Composers keep track of what copyrighted music of their hundreds of members is used in broadcasting nightly by more than 500 radio stations all over the country in order to check up whether or not the use has been licensed by the association? Is there any one person who knows all the compositions when he hears them, or any group of persons who are able to listen in on the whole United States?

These questions were asked E. C. Mills, chairman of the Administrative Committee of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, who said:

"The problem of checking up on broadcasting stations is simple, as aside from our 500 members scattered all over the country, most of whom have sets and listen in regularly, our representatives also have sets and listen in regularly. Programmes are identified by station call letters and it is a simple matter to report what has been played."

INSPECTORS IN MANY CITIES

"These inspectors are all qualified musical experts, persons who can testify of their own knowledge, in court if necessary, and yet have never failed in a single instance to prove a claim made that at a certain time, in a certain place, a certain work was actually performed. We are most careful to establish only the facts, and if there is any doubt we give the benefit of it to our adversary."

"They make a systematic and regular check on the stations located in about forty cities."

"But we do not find the broadcasters generally disposed either to challenge or infringe the rights of our members, and comparatively few violations are reported among the hundreds of programmes sent in. The reason is simple."

"The courts have held that broadcasting is a public performance for profit, and the law provides that public performance of a copyrighted work may be lawfully rendered only by license from the owner of the copyright. The penalty for unlawful public performance for profit is fixed at the minimum of \$250 and the maximum of \$5,000 per rendition. The law having been adjudicated, only very unwise broadcasters would violate it and lay himself liable to such penalties."

"Most of the broadcasting stations have secured license of society to use the works of its members; the few which have not seemed to us to be meticulously avoiding any infringement of copyrighted works by unlicensed performance."

"The survey indicates the potential net work audience, comprised of WEAF and sixteen other stations throughout the country, built up in less than two years, to be more than 15,000,000. However, discounting the potential audience of seventy-five per cent there remains an audience of 3,750,000."

A questionnaire distributed among members of the WEAF audience shows that sixty-four per cent of those addressed replied, and this is taken as a criterion of the interest of the radio audience in general. The replies revealed that the average number of listeners per set is five, and that sixty-two per cent of the radio set owners own their homes. Pleasure cars are owned by forty-six per cent; pianos by fifty per cent; phonographs by seventy-one per cent; and more than eighty-one per cent have electricity in their homes.

The average of the network as compared to the continental United States shows that 59.5 per cent of the receiving sets in the country, and 60.1 per cent of the total population is within range of New York programmes radiated by the chain of transmitters. Seventy per cent of the people listening in live in cities and approximately twenty-nine per cent live on farms. It is estimated that the network spreads its waves over 24.4 per cent of the farms in this country.

702,000 SETS IN NEW YORK
It is estimated that in the territories covered by stations in the following cities: New York, 702,000; Boston, 800,000; Philadelphia, 1,000,000; Washington, 1,000,000; Cleveland, 1,000,000; Detroit, 1,000,000; St. Louis, 1,000,000; Minneapolis, 1,000,000; Chicago, 1,000,000; Pittsburgh, 1,000,000; Cincinnati, 1,000,000; Buffalo, 1,000,000; Kansas City, 1,000,000; Omaha, 1,000,000; St. Paul, 1,000,000; Minneapolis-St. Paul, 1,000,000; Denver, 1,000,000; Portland, 1,000,000; Seattle, 1,000,000; Spokane, 1,000,000; Walla Walla, 1,000,000; Boise, 1,000,000; Salt Lake City, 1,000,000; San Francisco, 1,000,000; Los Angeles, 1,000,000; San Diego, 1,000,000; Honolulu, 1,000,000; and other cities.

The charge for use of sixteen stations linked with WEAF for hours after 6 p.m., effective Jan. 1, 1925, are \$4,000 for one hour; \$2,500 for one-half hour; \$1,500 for one-quarter hour and \$2,040 for ten minutes. The daytime charge before 6 p.m. for the group of stations is one-half of the evening charge for a like period of time. The ten minutes are for talks only. Discounts for duration of contract based on weekly usage are 5 per cent for six months, 10 per cent for nine months and 15 per cent for one year.

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A NEW THEORY

Radio reception of stations located to the north or south of the listener is considerably better than reception of stations located east or west, according to theories of many radio jobbers of the West.

New Link in Big Radio Chain is To be Ready Soon

Bombay, Sept. 25.—The Indian Radio Telegraphy company is shortly taking over the space which has been allotted to them by the Indian Government in the central telegraph office, Bombay, in connection with the establishment of the direct wireless service to Great Britain.

The work of training telegraphists in the use of high speed apparatus, which will be employed on this system will commence shortly. The stations which are being built are under construction and making steady progress. This latest link in the chain in India's external communication will probably be in full public service within a few months time.

The precedent of an annual radio conference at Washington each Fall is to be broken this year because of governmental inactivity regarding radio control.

LITTLE CHANGE IN CONES



The first and the latest cone speaker is shown by C. L. Farrand, inventor of the cone loud speaker. The smaller cone was one of the earliest models and the other is Farrand's most advanced type.

SURVEY REVEALS 5,200,000 RADIO SETS IN UNITED STATES

A study of the broadcasting situation, conducted by the following monthly average for each client during the year 1925: January, 2,343; February, 3,418; March, 2,894; April, 2,095; May, 3,315; June, 570; July, 599; August, 434; September, 630; October, 1,655; November, 1,236; and December, 1,907. According to the analysis, the heaviest mail is received from October to May, inclusive.

The number of families residing within territories answered by the stations affiliated with WEAF estimated as of January, 1925, are as follows: New York, 2,570,000; Boston, 1,308,000; Philadelphia, 1,251,000; Washington, 700,000; Minneapolis, 430,000; Pittsburgh, 1,093,000; Cleveland, 777,000; Detroit, 954,000; Cincinnati, 1,065,000; Chicago, 1,491,000; St. Louis, 1,000,000; Minneapolis, 430,000; and Davenport, 443,000; the total number being 13,176,000.

The total population of the territories covered by WEAF and its chain of stations as of January, 1925, are: New York, 11,548,000; Boston, 5,738,000; Philadelphia, 5,615,000; Washington, 3,138,000; Buffalo, 1,930,000; Pittsburgh, 4,211,000; Cleveland, 3,208,000; Detroit, 4,015,000; Cincinnati, 4,341,000; Chicago, 3,865,000; St. Louis, 2,601,000; Minneapolis, 1,908,000; and Davenport, 1,759,000.

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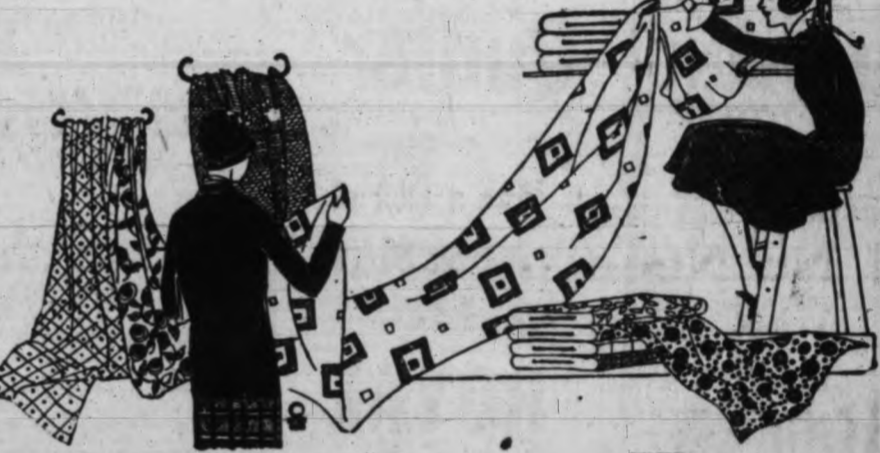
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MATINEE SATURDAY

SCREEN VERSION OF FAMED PLAY PROVES PLAYHOUSE MAGNET

W. Somerset Maugham, famed British playwright, is at the Playhouse Theatre in Corinne Griffith's "Infatuation," an adaptation of his stage hit, "Caesar's Wife."

The British playwright has written several stage hits, one of the most recent of which is "Rain." This play was first written as a short story and later dramatized.

"A MAN FOUR-SQUARE" STIRRING STORY WITH BUCK JONES STARRING

Those liking western films will be well pleased with Buck Jones' newest Fox production, "A Man Four-Square," the current attraction at the Columbia Theatre. Jones as Craig Norton is called upon to help a friend who, though innocent, has been convicted of stealing cattle. Buck runs down the guilty in his usual dashing style and incidentally wins a beautiful bride.

REALISM CREATED SMALL FLOOD WHEN 'TIN GODS' WAS FILMED

Realism is all right in its place but it should know where that place is. For instance, while "Tin Gods," Thomas Meighan's latest picture, at the Dominion was being shot, in Paramount's eastern studio, a call had to be sent to the Astoria fire and street cleaning departments for help.

It happened this way. A mountain torrent built up an exterior set was arranged by Director Allan Dwan so that the water would drain off into a gutter outside the studio. The river poured but the sewer refused to function. Soon, Sixth Avenue and the adjacent streets resembled nothing so much as an American Venice. It seemed presently as though the mountains might start floating off the lot with Tommy and Renee Adoree as their unwilling passengers. Then—and only then—were the alarms turned in. After several hours, with the aid of both street cleaning and fire departments, the clogged streets were once more opened to traffic.

Aileen Pringle and Renee Adoree are featured in "Tin Gods." It was adapted from William Anthony McGuire's stage play.

FASCINATING PAGE FROM HISTORY IS SEEN AT CAPITOL

A fascinating page from history brought to life in the story of "Three Bad Men," Fox Film epic, which will have its last appearance at the Capitol Theatre to-day.

Directed by John Ford of "The Iron Horse" fame, with George O'Brien, playing the part of Lee Carlton, the winsome heroine, and George O'Brien as the youthful pioneer, and a Greek scholar, who uses for his sub-

ject the story of the great Jewish warrior, Judas Maccabaeus. The great "Sound-an-Alarm," is contained in the oratorio. The Duchess of York has a decided partiality for Scottish reels, and in the recent country-wide revival of the Old English country dances, many of the purpose of teaching it to Boy Scouts, Girl Guides and members of similar organizations.

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MUSICAL NOTES

By G.J.D.

In relation to Mrs. Margaret MacLure's recent lecture-recital it is safe to say that there are many hundreds of the followers of the art of music who to-day, when Wagner's "Ring" is discussed, will know more than ever before of the beautiful ideals and theories of Richard Wagner, perhaps the greatest dramatic composer in the history of music and the greatest master of orchestration in the annals of the art. To students especially—a student is not necessarily always of youthful age, but can be applied to all who make music a life's study—the occasion must be accounted not only a most educational and inspirational one, but opens the door of thought of the possibilities that are yet undeveloped in music's realm.

The "leit motif"—or use of guiding theme, was used by Wagner consistently. He employed it not only to the personality of his characters, but to inanimate objects as well. Wagner disregarded all the old forms of recitatives, arias, the duet and concerted finale, blending his motifs into a polyphonic whole, (polyphony employing more than one key, and introducing the piano and chords (accidentals) not contained in the key) producing a continuous web of melody. He was the first to use the organ in the orchestra, and the object in the drama, his first introduction of this theory was in the opera "Lohengrin," in which he changes the overture to a prelude, or Vorspiel—giving each act its own introduction, in this way enabling the listener to comprehend the moving situations even before the singers on the stage realized it themselves. As an example in "Lohengrin" the strings always accompany the Swan Knight, the trumpets associate King Henry, and the woodwinds go along with the unfortunate Elsa.

Following the custom of many years past the amalgamated First United Church, Quadra Street, will this season give Handel's "Judas Maccabaeus." This oratorio was written five years after the "Messiah," and was produced in 1746 in honor of the Victory of Culloden and the return of the English troops from Scotland. The text was arranged by Rev. Thomas Morrell, a Greek scholar, who uses for his sub-

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Evenly, writer of the Irish harp, wrote in his diary, November 17, 1888, "Pity it is that it is (the harp) not more in vogue in Ireland, and in folk-music, and efforts are being made to revive these treasures in music. A collector has in his possession no fewer than 800 old Irish folk-songs. The history of the harp associated with the Irish people, goes back to the very earliest period, and several quaint ancient Celtic legends are connected with the romantic past of the Irish harp. At the end of the twelfth century the Irish people were noted for their skill in music, which was taught by Bishop Cereatus, tutor to Henry II's son, to "beyond comparison superior to that of any other nation he had seen. It is also related that Henry VIII quivered with Irish harp on his arms, and once caustically remarked, 'The Irish were good for nothing else.' Harps during latter years are in great numbers in Ireland in great numbers."

In the Army Pageant at Wembley, to represent Stone Age music, there were used marrow-bones, struck with a hammer, and a drum, and a curiously resonant sound. For the Bronze Age Chinese gongs were used, and in the Iron Age—the workmanship of which the musical instruments was cruder—the iron knife struck the marrow-bones, providing a melodious concord still heard in Leadenhall Drunkard. With the advent of the Druids the harp was introduced, the bowstring perhaps being the origin of this instrument. With the Romans came the brass trumpet, the original form of which corresponded to the coach-horn of to-day. Then there are the bagpipes, which were brought from Egypt during the Roman occupation, passed through Italy and finally settled in Scotland and Ireland. The modern bagpipe in use by Scottish regiments differs very little from the ancient Egyptian counterpart.

Even Steel Mills In Alberta's Scope

Ottawa, Sept. 25.—(By Canadian Press)—Two new steel companies in Alberta are included in the new federal incorporations gazetted this week.

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CAST ANNOUNCED FOR GREAT COMIC OPERA OPENING THURSDAY

"Foxy Quiller" Promises to Be Tremendous Success at Royal Victoria Theatre

Gyro Club Have Worked Hard in Getting Together Good Company For Show

For three nights next week theatre-goers will have opportunity to witness the great New York success, "Foxy Quiller," a comic opera by Reginald De Koven. The show is being presented by the Gyro Club and will be open on Thursday night and be repeated on Friday and Saturday, with a special children's matinee on Saturday afternoon.

The cast has been rehearsing for the past three weeks under the guidance of C. H. Lewis, who put over "The Beauty Shop" for the Gyros last Fall. The principals this year are: Ned Royster, a sailor, Frank L. Tupperman, Jack, a sailor, Art Minnie; Jack's helper, Jay Podgson; Walsingham Binks, an actor of "the old school," "Bun" Trevett; Kimono, a Japanese juggler, Harold A. Beckwith; Serpentina, a snake charmer, Dorothy Wilton; Leona, a ballet dancer, Violet Powkes; Madame Longina, a giantess, Fred Bartholomew; Foxy Quiller, the quintessence of all human intelligence, Art Kerr; Willey, Louis Glazman; Lovecraft, Charles Mess; Ferret, Geo. Wilkinson; Weasel, Aubrey Kent; Padlock, Percy Abel; Dodge, Art McNeill; Paganino, an Italian with a vendetta on his hands, Frank H. Partridge; La Colomba, his sister who helps in the vendetta, Lily Wilson; Bella Donna, a sorceress, Morla North; a gardener, V. Chas. Graham; Daniel, a servant, Fred P. Walker; Governor of Corsica, Sid Chiverville.

The Band—Art Partridge, Archie Muir and Harold Butters.

The Officers—Eric Greville Jones, Jack Speck, Bert Sibbald.

The Pirates—Gladys Heaton, Eileen Shaw, Kathleen Shaw, Faye Forster and Eleanor Dinwiddie.

The Pirates—Blossom Barnett, Winifred Shaw, Olive Hartree and Teddy Service.

The Circus Girls—Dolly Spencer, Miriam Watson, Bryson Hartree, Helen Logan, Teddy Service, Blossom Barnett, Winifred Shaw and Olive Hartree.

The Military Girls—Ivy Jones, Edna Kerr, Margaret Patterson, Irene Arnall, Eva Mess, Lola Peacy, Dorothy Gardiner, Grace Beckwith.

Townpeople, Carpenters, Fishermen, etc.—Francis Spence, Ella Surphill, Enid Mellor, Billie Grant, Elsie M. Phillip, Margaret McDonald, Julia A. Angus, Isabell Crawford, Dorothy Gardiner, Rita Douglas, Edna Kerr, Nora Jones, Frank Irving, Leon U. Conyers Jr., Frank S. Shandley, Wm. I. Land, W. H. V. Davies, Al. McKinnon.

LOUIS GRAVEURE TO SING HERE SHORTLY

Baritone Recital Under Musical Club Auspices Monday, October 4

Louis Graveure, the distinguished baritone, will appear in recital at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Monday, October 4, under the auspices of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club.

This will be the first of the three artists' recitals arranged by the club in its professional series of Monday nights, which is being eagerly anticipated by music-lovers as the outstanding event of the season. Graveure has an international reputation as one of the finest baritones of the day, and has won the highest praise from the most exacting critics.

Next Monday is the last day for the purchase of the season tickets for this professional series of concerts, and would be patrons should apply without delay to the W. F. Evans Music Store, Government Street.

His programme on October 4 will be as follows:

- "Star of Eve" (Tannhauser) Wagner
- "Look Into Mine Eye"—Hungarian folksong
- "Song My Mother Taught Me"—Dvorak
- "Cavatine" (Valentine's song from "Faust")—Gounod
- "Three Fishers Went Sailing"—Old English
- "The Bird's Courting Song" from "Songs From the Hills of Vermont"—Ronald
- "Mary"—Old Scottish
- "Wine Strangers"—the opera, reharmonized piano solos by accompanist
- "La Cloche"—Saint-Saens
- "Il Neige"—Bemberg
- "Elegie"—Massenet
- "Vision"—Heriodade
- "O Lovely Night"—Ronald
- "The Leprechaun"—Irish folksong
- "Her Rose"—Combs
- "The Trumpeter"—Airle Dix

Frank Tinney is To Pay Alimony, Declares Judge

New York, Sept. 25.—Frank Tinney, black-faced comedian, was yesterday adjudged in contempt and his arrest ordered by Mr. Justice Dike in the Brooklyn Supreme Court. Justice Dike ordered the sheriff to place Tinney in jail unless he should pay forthwith \$1,400 in back alimony and sheriff's fees and other costs.

Mrs. Edna Tinney, his divorced wife, told the court that although she had made personal appeal to Tinney, he had failed to pay her anything since July 24 and that she and her son were in desperate need.

Incidentally, I am sending you a photograph of a velvet dress that is making quite a sensation over here. Perhaps you might like to consider it for your very formal evening frock this winter.

The black velvet bouffant skirt is shirred over panniers and hangs very full and long, with a front panel adorned with an ornament of rhinestones and pearls. The V that breaks the line of the bodice is filled in with flesh-colored chiffon, and the straps, which are scarcely visible, are also of the chiffon.

I am eager to go to the Lido for a few days, but my father, who hates travelling, and the expenses connected therewith, has given me no encouragement. Next to seeing you, which is impossible, I should like to see this gay spot. Next Summer we must manage to go there. Give it a thought. All my love,

GERMAINE.

Paris Fashion Letter

Germaine Shops for Newest Furs; Novel Dress Creates Paris Furore



Black velvet bouffant skirt, shirred over panniers with a front panel of rhinestones and pearls that is creating a sensation in Paris.

Dear Cousin—

If home is as torrid now as Paris is, I am sure you will consider me an imbecile when you learn that I spent the afternoon looking at fur coats.

It was really Aunt Louise's idea. She had some moleskin which she is very eager to have combined with velvet or silk in a wrap to wear for Fall evenings, and she shopped in her usual thorough manner—while I sweated.

As a matter of fact, fur coats have become almost a year 'round garb here, particularly at the Summer resorts where you see women riding around in coats of panther skin or colt, and they look very smart.

For Winter, all coats are very much furred, and fur linings in silk and wool coats are to be the very correct thing to wear. There is undoubtedly an element of economy in this because the cheaper furs are as warm as expensive ones, and if they are used only as a lining, there is no loss in buying sable.

Aunt Louise is flirting with a mink coat, a stunning affair beautifully matched, and I fear the affair will end on her downfall. "I think about it," she told Nanette, her vendreuse, but I could tell she had thought sufficiently. Now she needs only to convince herself that with three fur coats already, she really needs another one.

Chinchilla and ermine coats are more beautiful than ever before, but such prices, my dear cousin, such preposterous amounts as they cost!

Though I remained temperate to the point of complete abstinence in the fur shops, I indulged in a slight shopping spree at the hat. Gaze upon the enclosed photograph and see if you don't believe it is irresistible.

Fundamentally, it is only a tam of moire silk with a band about the head and a pompadour on top, but spiritually it is a tower of strength.

I really needed it, for Jacques, since his return from England has shown signs of extreme susceptibility to other women. I received all my wiles to keep him from pursuing a daisy little blonde who seemed to follow us everywhere, and scarcely had she given up in despair when a gorgeous Argentine lady appeared on the scene. I am sure he has seen her several times.

Whether he is punishing me for

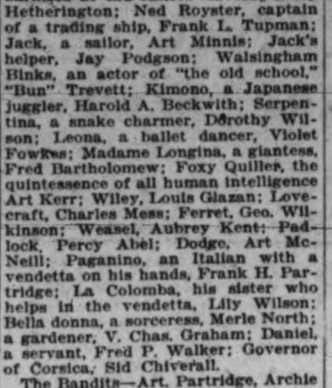
my interest in Jimmy, or whether he is really captivated by the lady, I cannot say. I only know she is giving me some uneasiness.

And Jimmy will return home in a week or so, his parents having arranged for a de luxe passage home so that though he is far from well, he will probably be very comfortable. He says as soon as he is able to navigate again, he will return to Paris and continue his continental education where it was broken off.

Incidentally, I am sending you a photograph of a velvet dress that is making quite a sensation over here. Perhaps you might like to consider it for your very formal evening frock this winter.

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LOUIS GRAVEURE TO SING HERE SHORTLY

Baritone Recital Under Musical Club Auspices Monday, October 4

Louis Graveure, the distinguished baritone, will appear in recital at the Royal Victoria Theatre on Monday, October 4, under the auspices of the Victoria Ladies' Musical Club.

This will be the first of the three artists' recitals arranged by the club in its professional series of Monday nights, which is being eagerly anticipated by music-lovers as the outstanding event of the season. Graveure has an international reputation as one of the finest baritones of the day, and has won the highest praise from the most exacting critics.

Next Monday is the last day for the purchase of the season tickets for this professional series of concerts, and would be patrons should apply without delay to the W. F. Evans Music Store, Government Street.

His programme on October 4 will be as follows:

- "Star of Eve" (Tannhauser) Wagner
- "Look Into Mine Eye"—Hungarian folksong
- "Song My Mother Taught Me"—Dvorak
- "Cavatine" (Valentine's song from "Faust")—Gounod
- "Three Fishers Went Sailing"—Old English
- "The Bird's Courting Song" from "Songs From the Hills of Vermont"—Ronald
- "Mary"—Old Scottish
- "Wine Strangers"—the opera, reharmonized piano solos by accompanist
- "La Cloche"—Saint-Saens
- "Il Neige"—Bemberg
- "Elegie"—Massenet
- "Vision"—Heriodade
- "O Lovely Night"—Ronald
- "The Leprechaun"—Irish folksong
- "Her Rose"—Combs
- "The Trumpeter"—Airle Dix

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AMERICAN LEGION MEMBERS ARRIVE

Veterans From Seattle Organization Here For Two Days

One hundred members of the American Legion arrived here today from Seattle. They were met at the hotel by a representative reception committee of all ex-service organizations and patriotic societies of the city.

TRIBUTE
A striking tribute to the memory of the dead comrades of both countries will be made to-morrow afternoon when a memorial ceremony will take place at the war memorial, Parliament Square. The programme of the service, which will be conducted by the Rev. Wm. Carroll of this city, will be as follows:

Hymn, "O God Our Help in Ages Past"; prayer; placing of wreaths on memorial by Women's Auxiliaries of American Legion and Victoria, ex-service organizations; address, Rev. Wm. Carroll; silent tribute; response, Lieut.-Col. Bert C. Ross, Seattle; Last Post; National Anthem.

The public are cordially invited to participate in this service.

The visiting veterans will also pay a visit to the ex-service men in the local hospitals and distribute a few comforts to them.

To-night a social gathering will be held in the auditorium of the Veterans of France Club. A well balanced programme for the entertainment of the visitors has been arranged for this affair.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

The case of Angelo Sponzio, charged in the City Police Court with having liquor for sale at his premises, 1555 Yates Street, was yesterday further adjourned by Magistrate George Jay, until next Wednesday. The accused was represented by Mr. R. C. Lowe.

Ross Kirby and the C. & C. Taxi Company were each fined the sum of \$5 yesterday in the Esquimalt Police Court, at a session held at the Municipal Hall, for failure to have the rear lights of their automobiles burning in the evening after dark. Magistrate George Jay presided over the court.

The C.P.R. Social Club popular invitational dances open Thursday, Sept. 29, at Empress Hotel. Ballroom and continue alternate Thursdays throughout the season. The committee states some addresses were misplaced but arrangements have been made and the patrons are urged to accept their invitations at the door.

At the usual fortnightly meeting of the Real Estate Board of Victoria to be held next Wednesday at the Chamber of Commerce the resolution of R. H. B. Ker favoring the election of a Mayor annually instead of every two years as suggested, will be considered. An address will be given by S. Drake. A report of the salesmen's meeting will be presented.

Representations as to the lease of the Willow Grove Hotel to have been made yesterday to the public works committee of the City Council, were postponed when that committee cancelled its meeting until next week. The absence of Mayor Penney, who is addressing the Seattle Chamber of Commerce to-day by special request, led to the adjournment.

The first meeting of the James Bay Young People's Society was held on Tuesday, with twenty members present. The main part of the evening was taken up with the election of an executive, the remainder of the time being spent in the discussion of important business matters. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, when a lantern lecture of great interest will be given.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Excelsior Bible Class (Fairfield United Church) was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Olive Taylor, Wellington Street. Work for the coming winter was freely discussed and it was decided that the class make a very substantial contribution towards the furnishing of the new church. Business was followed by a most enjoyable social time, refreshments being served at the close.

Directors of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau will meet in the Chamber of Commerce on Monday at noon to discuss the Fall publicity campaign on the prairies. There has been a proposal that Vancouver and Victoria Publicity Bureaus should unite in mapping out their campaign to bring prairie people to the Coast for the winter. Charles Webster, of the Vancouver Bureau, will be over to discuss this proposal.

The subject matter of the three lectures on "Some Sources of the Modern Civilization" to be given by the Rev. H. T. Archibald in the Memorial Hall at 8 p.m. on Monday, October 11, 18 and 25, will be treated in three main sub-divisions. These will be concerned respectively with the gifts and enduring benefits conferred upon the civilized world by the Greek, the Roman and the Hebrew nations, which will be traced down the intervening centuries to the present day. The subject is obviously one of wide interest, and has been in part selected with a view to assist young students of history, both at High School and College.

George A. Allen, for years with the Victoria police and having served on no less than four separate police units in Canada, received a set of silver-plated handcuffs from the North Cowichan municipal force on his retirement recently. Mr. Allen was a member of the Canadian Mounted Rifles stationed at Winnipeg. He was transferred to the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, so called at that time, and was one of the first troopers into the Yukon. He was one of those scarlet-coated riders who took possession of the White Pass in 1898. He remained in that country until 1905. There his first daughter was born, the first white child to be born in the territory. Since then he has served many years in Victoria and in the Cowichan force.

A full week of activities has occupied the attention of the members and officials of the James Bay United Church, this week. The Young People's Society met Tuesday for organization purposes. The regular programme will be preceded by two special services. The first will be held on Wednesday, when an illustrated lecture will be given on the work and aims of the Upper Canada Tract Society among light-housekeepers on the coasts of the Gulf.

The following week-end concert in aid of the helping fund of the society is being undertaken, when the Salvation Army band will contribute several numbers and prominent artists will provide vocal and eleocutionary numbers. Last night a hundred or more of the members of the congregation of the church availed themselves of the hospitality of the Ladies Aid Society at a get-together social. The official board of the church is undertaking to have the church thoroughly renovated inside and out, the work to be done immediately.

Mr. Bowman said that he and the other members of the Mutual Life party got their first sunshine since leaving Ontario when they reached Victoria yesterday. The weather on the prairies has been severe lately, he explained. The crop has been good, and would have run up to 275,000 bushels if the weather had not gone back on them, but now the situation is such that it is difficult to say anything. Chief dangers now, he said, are losses from rain which causes sprouting.

OBITUARY

The funeral of Margaret Livingston McPherson, who passed away at the Royal Jubilee Hospital on September 24, will take place on Monday morning, September 27, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 9:40 o'clock. At 9 o'clock, mass will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, the Willows, by the Rev. Father J. R. Buckley, and interment will take place at Ross Bay Cemetery.

CANADA TO AMAZE WORLD IN NEXT TEN YEARS, SAYS ONTARIO FINANCIER

"There is no country in the world where conditions are better to-day than Canada, and there is no country that has the magnificent prospects of development ahead that Canada has."

"If you are alive ten years from to-day, remember what I have said, and you will have ample evidence of its justification in an industrial and agricultural development that has started now and which in the next decade will amaze the world."

Charles M. Bowman, financier, manufacturer, and now the Ontario mercantile world, made the above remarks to-day, following his tour of inspection through Western Canada, where the company of which he is vice-president, the Mutual Life of Canada, has loaned more than \$12,000,000, besides its investments in Western bond issues.

Mr. Bowman has awakened yet to realize the rate at which our development is proceeding. Mr. Bowman went on.

"Very few Canadians are aware that for the last year our exports of manufactured goods, not raw materials, exceeded \$50,000,000 our imports of manufactured goods from other countries. Canada already has become an export nation, and the developments, our surplus of exports will steadily mount.

"With these developments, the manufacturing and agricultural position we have already attained, and the fact that we still have our raw materials practically untouched, Canada has the brightest next few years to look forward to of any country I know."

Mr. Bowman told of the enormous hydro-electric developments now in the construction stage in Quebec, which plants he visited early this summer. Canada is now producing more than 100,000,000 kilowatts of power, and within a few years this country will be producing seventy-five per cent of its power manufactured on this continent.

Inauguration of a vigorous immigration policy from now on was forecast by Mr. Bowman. He added that he was taking the view that the East the idea that ninety-five per cent of the money to be spent by the Government on immigration should be spent in Canada in the way of getting the newcomers properly settled. The railway companies will do the selecting in Europe before the immigrants are given passage across the ocean.

TARIFF TALK LARGELY BUNK.

As the director of two large furniture manufacturing companies in Ontario, a brush and broom factory, and as former president of the Great Lakes Dredging and Docking Company, Mr. Bowman, who is also head of an Ontario lumber company, Mr. Bowman declared that business in Ontario was good for soundly planned, efficient and progressive companies.

"There is very little in all the talk you hear out here about the tariff and the tariff man," Mr. Bowman went on. "My experience as an active manufacturer convinces me that about ten per cent, tariff and ninety per cent, stupidity is the rule. The tariff is a better argument for the protection of the factors that enter into business troubles."

WEST DIVERSIFYING PRODUCTION

Speaking of the increased production and diversification of production in the West, Mr. Bowman said that in 1915 Manitoba produced barely enough honey to supply the needs of its own population. Last year, however, Manitoba produced enough honey for its own people and exported 325 carloads valued at \$2,500,000. This honey increase has been the result of the introduction of sweet clover to reconstruct worn out land.

IMPROVEMENT HERE REAL

"I've seen enough to satisfy me that the improvement in British Columbia conditions is real," Mr. Bowman went on. "I am quite agreeably surprised at the evidence of improvement I see in Victoria. There is a better atmosphere here, the same applies to Vancouver, and to all Canada except possibly Nova Scotia, where there are local conditions."

"I have been through the West every year since 1915, and now, with the exception of 1921, the prairie crop of 1924 and 1925 cleaned up the shaky financial situation on the prairie fairly well. So, if they get this crop harvested in fair shape, it is going to give the western farmer increased buying power. And you know what that means for every other part of the country."

HARD TIMES DID GOOD

"Investment conditions are very much better than they were a few years ago. Five years from now, we will look back on the bad years of 1922 and 1923 as a sad time, but those hard times taught the need of paying more attention to farming methodically. The people in the West as a result of those years, grapple with the problems, working them out so that the West is now entering on a system of farming which will make returns more certain and eliminate much of the possibility of a recurrence of the difficulties of the past."

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MODERATOR NOMINATED

Perth, Ont., Sept. 25—The Presbytery of Lanark and Renfrew, in session to-day, nominated Rev. Dr. R. J. McBeth of Vancouver for the moderatorship of the next General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada.

WAR VETERAN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Late Thomas W. Lindsay Served Overseas With 1st C.M.R.

Old comrades of the C. M. R. Brigade will regret to learn of the passing yesterday of Thomas Whelan Lindsay, an old original of the First Canadian Mounted Rifles.

Mr. Lindsay enlisted in the 1st C.M.R. on December 1, 1914 and under Lt.-Col. E. B. Andros, D.S.O., served with that unit on the Flanders front during that strenuous period in the early days of the war. Upon the creation of trench mortar batteries he was transferred and served with the 3rd H.T.M. Battery until his health broke down. He was then evacuated through the hospitals and ultimately discharged at Winnipeg, June 18, 1918, as being medically unfit for further war service.

Mr. Lindsay was pensioned as a total disability case and has been an invalid more or less since discharge. Seeking relief, he traveled to Australia and elsewhere in the hope of benefiting through change of climate and environment, but without avail.

His sister, Miss Olive E. Lindsay came across from Ireland to be with him, he being unmarried and without relatives near at hand to comfort and sustain him in his declining days. His mother, Mrs. Charlotte Lindsay, Gordon Road, Foxrock, Dublin County, Ireland, is being notified through the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, Rev. A. de Nunn, of St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, will officiate at the funeral which will leave the Curry & Son Funeral Home, 580 Quadra Street at 2 o'clock Monday, September 27, for the Royal Oak Cemetery.

PROTESTS MOVE TO CANCEL HALF-DAY

Merchants and Clerks Favor Holiday, Says Clerks' Agent

Claiming that a vast majority of both retail merchants and clerks are in favor of a weekly half holiday, Alderman E. S. Woodward, business agent of the Retail Clerks' Association, has forwarded the following letter to J. D. McEwen, Deputy Minister of Labor:

"I observe that you have laid before the Provincial Government a resolution of the board of directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce asking for the abolition of the present weekly half-holiday for store clerks.

"Permit me to direct attention to the following pertinent facts:

"1. The resolution in question was passed by the board in the absence of its members who represent retail trade. Only two retailers were present, and of these only one supported the resolution.

"2. The resolution was adopted despite the decision of a meeting of the open forum called by the directors to discuss the subject. Every merchant who spoke voiced his objection to any tampering with the present act.

"3. The resolution was passed despite the result of a plebiscite of retailers ordered taken by the board itself. The merchants voted in favor of the present arrangement.

"4. The retail section of the chamber was not consulted in any way by the directors, presumably because the latter had reason to believe that the retailers would not support them in their determination to wreck the act.

"The present holiday arrangement commends the support of the majority of merchants and clerks. It should not be changed until convincing evidence is produced of a change in sentiment.

"The proposal to compel clerks to take their holiday on various days spread through the week originates with men who are out of touch with the requirements of the retail trade, and would be unworkable for the merchants, distasteful to the clerks and unfair to the public. It would increase overhead and disrupt organization. It would compel clerks to use news and pleasure of the holiday and defeat the purpose of its originators. And it would be an unmitigated nuisance to the public who would be the victims of the inefficient service which would be its necessary consequence.

"I am assured that both merchants and clerks are opposed to the proposal of the board of directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce."

GOOD RESPONSE TO CATHEDRAL APPEAL

Christ Church and St. Barnabas Parishes Leading

Reports bringing news of a good response to the appeal for the New Cathedral have been received at the Memorial Hall. So far the Cathedral parish and St. Barnabas, Victoria, are the leading city parishes. St. Mary's, Oak Bay, is maintaining its position with good reports. Out of town parishes which have already sent their first returns are Cedar Hill, Royal Oak, South Saanich and Nanaimo.

The Bishop of Columbia, who was compelled to leave the city to attend important meetings of the General Synod boards and committees at Winnipeg, and also on account of his aged mother's serious illness, has issued the following message to workers for the New Cathedral:

"Just one last word as you settle into the work of the New Cathedral campaign.

"After all the weeks of prayerful preparation, thoughtful publicity and earnest work culminating in the wonderful recent services and meetings, I doubt if any canvass was ever begun in more promising circumstances.

"Nevertheless there will be endless difficulties to be met in carrying through the great task that has been set for us. Will you enter upon it with a 'will succeed' persuaded that it is a work from God for God. Keep as your goal to secure support from every Church member, and their friends, that thereby our fellowship in the extension of Christ's Kingdom may be deepened and

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION SECRETARY WILL VISIT JAMES BAY CHURCH

The Rev. E. R. McLean, secretary of Religious Education of British Columbia and the Rev. J. G. Brown, M.A., D.D., principal of Ryerson College of the United Church are to leave Victoria to-day for James Bay.

The Rev. E. R. McLean will conduct the service at James Bay United Church in the morning and will occupy the pulpit at Western United to-morrow evening. The Rev. Brown is to be the special Harvest Festival preacher at Esquimalt United Church and the Sunday School of James Bay United are endeavoring to secure him for an address at their rally day programme to-morrow afternoon. Mr. Windsor is to be the speaker at the evening service at James Bay United when the minister will occupy the pulpit.

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In The Automobile World

FORD MOTOR RUNS WITH GRAIN DUST

Experimenters See Possibility of Replacing Gasoline With Sweepings

New York, Saturday, Sept. 25.—The prediction of possible future shortage in gasoline has led to experiments that prove gasoline motors can operate with waste, such as grain and flour dust, powdered coal and other carbonaceous substances, according to the current issue of Power. Experiments with a Ford engine are described and with minor alterations, the motor was made to run on floor sweepings from a grain elevator.

In preparation for the experiments the carburetor of the engine was taken off and to the intake manifold was attached a metal tube which connected the engine with a chamber. This chamber was equipped with a small fan and recirculating pipes, so air could be drawn out of the top and blown in at the bottom, thus producing an updraft designed to keep the grain dust in suspension. Check valves were placed in the tube to safeguard against backfire. To avoid hand cranking, an electric motor was used to drive a pulley on a shaft connected at the rear of the engine.

DUST EXPLODED, READILY

In further preparation for the experiments, which are described in the publication by W. A. Noel and Rudolph Heilbach, research engineers in the Department of Agriculture, the ignition system, induction coil and dry cells were replaced with the regular Ford distributor and a lamp bank of six amperes using 110 volts direct current from a laboratory power line. The manifolds were removed and the dust fed by hand through a tube to the intake valve port. With this arrangement the dust exploded readily and frequently.

"It cannot be said," says the description, "that the engine made any long continuous run, but certainly enough power was developed to turn it over many times. The method of feeding was not very satisfactory. If a system of feeding a continuous, measured quantity of dust to the engine could be developed, better operation might be expected. However, the engine used for the experiments, although probably not the right type for a dust engine, gave encouraging results, which indicated the possibility of designing an engine to use grain dust as the source of fuel."

HUGGENS WAS PIONEER

The idea of using a powdered solid for engines, Power points out, was first advanced by Huggens, an engineer who in 1860 built the first internal combustion engine. This was long before the days of gasoline, so Huggens used gunpowder as the explosive. Gunpowder was expensive and the idea was given up. Dr. Diesel, who patented the Diesel engine in 1893, intended to use powdered coal, but turned to oil as being easier to control. Several experimenters are working on powdered coal engines now, but dust never has been experimented with before.

RETARD SPARK

Before touching the button which sets the electric cranking motor in action, care should be specially taken to always have the spark retarded. As a rule the electric motor is strong enough to resist the back kick and even carry the piston past the dead centre, and as the result of this, the starting motor is likely to be torn to pieces and ruined.



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OAKLAND OFFICIAL HAS GREAT CAREER

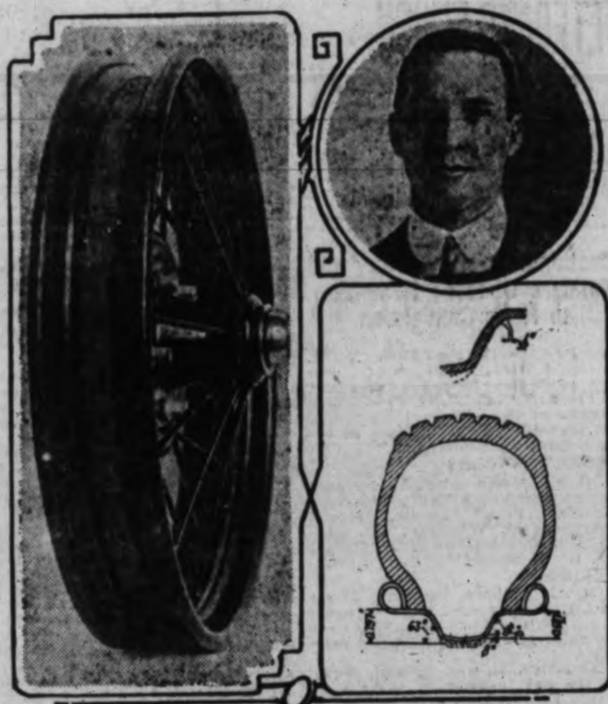
C. W. Mathewson Starting Third Year as Vice-President and Sales Director

Charles W. Mathewson this month begins his third year as vice-president and director of sales of the Oakland Motor Car Company, in addition to his duties as assistant to the president of the General Motors Corporation, according to word just received from the Oakland Motor Car Company by Chris McRae of McRae-Meldrum Motors, dealers in this territory for the Oakland and Pontiac sixes.

"Mathewson for the last twenty years has been one of the outstanding figures in the motor car industry," said Mr. McRae. "During the last ten years previous to his appointment at Oakland he was connected with Dodge Brothers as sales executive, serving in the capacity of general sales manager and vice-president in charge of sales, respectively, during his last four years with that company. Since he assumed his present executive capacity, Oakland sales have shown a steady increase, while this year they have assumed such phenomenal proportions that the Oakland Motor Car Company has become one of the ten largest producers in the industry. And as a result of this situation it has been found necessary to build a plant costing \$7,600,000 for the manufacture of Pontiac sixes alone."

Never permit water to stay on nickel trimmings long enough to dry off. Lamps, bumpers, etc., soon become speckled with rust spots which are found difficult to remove the rust does the nickel much injury.

EASY TO PUT BALLOONS ON NEW TYPE OF RIM



THE NEW "DROP CENTRE RIM," CROSS SECTION AT RIGHT SHOWING ITS CONSTRUCTION AND HOW TIRE FITS. ABOVE IS B. J. LEMON.

Those big, clumsy balloon tires of to-day will be easier to mount and demount than the smaller casings of former years.

The reason lies in a new type of rim, one with a well or depression around it, already widely in use throughout England, developing rapidly through Europe and just being introduced in America.

B. J. Lemon, New York tire and automotive expert, described this development recently to members of the Society of Automotive Engineers.

It's called the "drop-centre rim," from the fact that it is depressed in the centre, all around its circumference, in order to accommodate the

loose casings and tubes when they are mounted. Into this depression the heads of the tires are placed, air is pumped into the tubes, the heads jump back into their proper place along the sides and that's all.

No need of the hammer and tire irons. In fact, if force is used mounting a tire on a rim of this kind, the soft bead-tee of the tire may be injured.

It is the softness of the balloon tire, as against the harder high pressure tire, says Lemon, that makes the drop centre rim possible for quick and easy tire changing. It can be pressed easily into the well of the rim and pushed back into place, and the same process inverted can be used to remove them.

STAR SPORT SIX PROVES POPULAR

The new Star six sport roadster has created keen interest in the sporting fraternity, according to Atkinson Motor Company, local distributors of the Star.

Comparing favorably with other six sport roadsters of much higher price, this latest Star product contains the latest in sport features and offers the finest that engineering skill can produce.

The Hayes-Hunt body is attractively designed, having graceful streamlines that please the eye, whether viewed from the side or from front or rear. The finish is in two tones of lacquer—artillery grey below the black beltline and beige-brown above. Top and top boot are of brown khaki, and upholstery in driving and rumble seats is of genuine grey Spanish.

The rumble seat is roomy and comfortable, being thirty-eight inches wide and affording ample leg room. A forty-brake horsepower, six-cylinder motor is used. Its power ratio is about one horsepower for every fifty pounds of weight, enabling acceleration from five to twenty-five miles an hour in about six seconds.

DRAG YOUR BRAKES DURING WET WEATHER

All fast driving in wet weather is dangerous, but a fair degree of safety can be insured if brakes slip from water conditions by applying and dragging the brakes for a few minutes, causing enough pressure and frictional heat to squeeze and dry out the water film. Repeat this operation on long drives whenever the brakes seem to be slipping.

Drivers should be particularly careful after the car has been washed, as it is almost certain there is soap and soapy water on the brakes and it will be a wise precaution to drag the brakes for a short distance immediately upon leaving the wash stand.

Sometimes the grease, oil, mud, dirt and other foreign substances that get on the lining cause it to glide. The only effective remedy for this is to remove the glaze with a rough file or hacksaw blade or to wash the lining with gasoline, scrubbing it, perhaps, with a wire brush.

COPS TO CARRY CAMERAS

Cincinnati policemen will be equipped with cameras in addition to night sticks. It is thought that cameras will provide a useful adjunct in accident cases, as the officer will be able to take a picture of the actual accident and many disputes by witnesses will be avoided.

UNION OIL OPENS ALASKA STATIONS

Four Service Stations in Alaska and Eleven in British Columbia

Union Oil Company of California announces that it has opened four marketing stations in Alaska. The new stations are located at Ketchikan, Craig, Petersburg and Wrangell. While these depots are in Southern Alaska, it is believed their establishment marks the opening of a vigorous sales campaign in Alaska by the Union Oil Company of California.

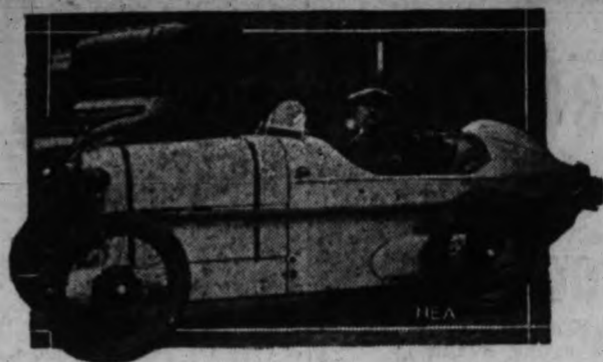
In the past, this California oil corporation has supplied its Alaskan trade through a sales agency. Even with the limited marketing facilities afforded under this arrangement, it is reported that sales have increased tremendously in recent months, and it was to meet this increased demand that the stations were established.

The new stations will dispense gasoline, distillate, kerosene and diesel in bulk; lubricating oils and greases in packages. The principal market will be the fishing and mining industries, which at present are the major consumers of petroleum products in Alaska.

The refined oil products distributed through these new depots will be supplied by the Union Oil refineries in California, and will be transported in the company's own tankers.

Simultaneously it was announced by Union Oil sales officials that the Union Oil Company of Canada Limited, a subsidiary corporation, has opened eleven marketing stations in British Columbia.

These are located at Alert Bay, Butedale, Bruce Landing, Claxton, Inverness, Naas River, Nootka, Quathlaqui Cove, Rivers Inlet, Tchucklesit and Upricell. At Prince Rupert, terminal of the Canadian National Railway, and one of the leading fishing ports in Northern British Columbia, construction of a sales station is nearing completion. These stations have been established



We couldn't drive very far in this car because our knees almost strike our chin. It's the English Austin.

AUTO DRIVERS URGED TO SIGNAL PLANS

"One of the outstanding faults of many drivers is their neglect in the matter of giving clues," says Charles M. Hayes, president of the Chicago Motor Club. "It is a matter of law in most states that a signal be given when turning or stopping, and this law is generally obeyed. The expert driver, however, will not be content to signal, he will know that either a right or left turn is to be made."

"A good driver will show that he is going to make a right turn at the next crossing by keeping over to the right as far as possible. When a driver about to make a right turn gives his signal while he is driving in the middle of the street, it is very likely that the driver following will not see the signal or will decide that a left turn is to be made. It comes as a surprise to all other drivers to see the motorist turn from the middle of the street into a right hand turn."

Sandpaper Helps to Fit New Brushes

When fitting new generator brushes it sometimes happens that they do not fit the curvature of the commutator surface. This can be remedied by placing the rough side of a strip of 60 sandpaper under the brush when it is in the brushholder and working the strip back and forth until the brush conforms to the curve of the commutator surface. This should be done for each brush separately.

Highway Detour

The Pacific Highway north of Centralia is closed and will remain closed about five weeks while the road is being widened and the heavy curves are being eliminated. The travel is routed by way of Buxton. This detour, which is marked by the Automobile Club of Washington, is paved from Centralia to the Lewis County line. The remaining 7.5 miles is good gravel and will be kept oiled and in good condition.

Each type of engine has its own lubrication system and filter. The filter should be taken out and cleaned at certain intervals.

MOTOR CAR EXPORTS SHOW BIG INCREASE

U.S. Overseas Business Constantly Gaining, Says Head of General Motors

Detroit, Saturday, Sept. 25.—The total volume of motor car exports from the United States continues to increase, and now ranks first in value of all manufactured products, according to Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., president of General Motors Corporation, who adds that the concern of which he is the head is showing a substantial increase in its overseas business.

"Sales to our overseas dealers in the first six months of this year totaled \$2,797 cars, as compared with \$1,854 during the same period of 1925," asserted Sloan in an interview. "This means an increase of fifty-two per cent, and includes sales of Oakland and Pontiac sixes, Chevrolet, Oldsmobiles, Buicks and Cadillacs. Our exports for the first six months of the year contributed about ten per cent to our total business, and for the year 1926 should approximate a wholesale value of about \$100,000,000."

"Last year the wholesale value of our exported cars was \$77,106,696, compared with \$50,929,322 in 1924 and \$39,193,869 in 1923. By wholesale value I mean the amount of money General Motors Corporation receives for its cars from its dealers. Of course, the retail value, or what the buyers paid our dealers, would swell the total materially."

"During the first six months of this year total sales of General Motors products to dealers for the entire world were \$36,057. Of this number \$2,797 were overseas sales."

Five hundred thousand more automobiles will be insured in Massachusetts next year than this because of the compulsory law which becomes effective January 1, according to reports received by Star dealers here. It is estimated that \$15,000,000 will be the total additional insurance carried.

Batteries should be inspected twice a month during the hot season.

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St. Louis Goes Wild Over Victory

Fans Roar Like Day When Armistice Came

First Pennant Comes to St. Louis After Thirty-eight Years of Effort and Fans Break Out in Great Demonstration; Now Preparing for Their First World's Series; Great Scenes in New York, Where Cards Trimmed Giants in Deciding Game

St. Louis, Sept. 25.—With one great roar of whistles, bombs, horns and other noise-makers, including the human voice, St. Louis late yesterday burst into its most joyous and wholehearted celebration since Armistice Day eight years ago.

The news of the Cardinals' pennant-clinching victory at New York had barely been announced by the radio than it was broadcast by the ensuing uproar.

Faster than telephone or telegraph could transmit the news it spread through the downtown district, and most disinterested passersby, if there were any—knew what it was all about. They realized the Cards had brought to St. Louis its first major league pennant in thirty-eight years, and a world's series would be played here October 5, 6, 7, probably against the New York Yankees.

New York, Sept. 25.—The St. Louis Cardinals tucked away their first National League championship here yesterday, when they defeated New York, 6 to 4, after Cincinnati had lost the first game of a double-header in Philadelphia. It was the first championship won by a St. Louis club since the original Browns, of the old American Association, won in 1888.

The triumph of the Cardinals in firmly cornering the elusive pennant found popular favor with metropolitan fans, as well as enthusiasts throughout the East, whose sympathies have leaned toward St. Louis in its quest for its initial banner.

When the game was over the new standard-bearers of the National League were cheered, but they smiled and slipped across the field to the clubhouse, shaking hands and slapping each other on the back. With the exception of Pitcher Grover Alexander, outfielder "Billy" Southworth and Coach Killefer, being on a major league championship team, was a new experience for the St. Louis players.

CARDINALS FAVORITES

About 5,000 witnessed the advent of the Cardinals to the premier honors. St. Louis players were favorites throughout the game, and whenever a Cardinal rally was cut off or the Giants scored, groans went up from the spectators. Judging from the rooting, the setting resembled a gathering in St. Louis instead of New York.

Stubborn resistance was advanced by the Reds in the pennant scramble. After leading the league during a large part of the season, Cincinnati was obliged to step aside for a Cardinal challenge to premier honors, and the final days of the race saw both clubs battling away on an even footing. The Cincinnati rout, however, took form in the series with the Giants last week, when they dropped two games in a row and then extended the mixup with the Braves, when Boston made a clean sweep of a three-game tussle.

The Giants rapped Flint Rhem hard in the opening innings of yesterday's game, forcing the star of the St. Louis pitching staff to give way to a pinch hitter in the second inning. Terry hit a home run with Eriach and Kelly on base. But for a great catch by Douthitt on Lindstrom's drive, Mueller being out stealing, New York would have scored three more runs.

CARDINALS COME BACK

The Cardinals came right back and knocked out McQuillan, who defeated them here last Sunday in the second inning. Lester Bell doubled, took third on a wild pitch and scored on O'Farrell's infield singles. Doubles by Thevenow and Toporcer, the latter a pinch-hitter, then tied the score.

Southworth sent St. Louis in front with a home run, scoring Toporcer ahead of him.

Sherdell assumed the pitching burden for St. Louis in the second inning and held the Giants to seven hits and one run, the tally being made as the result of a ball which bounced poorly to Hornsby and with the pennant within their grasp, the Cardinals played a great defensive game behind Sherdell. O'Farrell threw out three Giants attempting to steal.

Meanwhile at Philadelphia the Phillies were eliminating the Reds by splitting a double-header. The Quakers won the first game 9 to 2 and lost the second, 8 to 4.

The only other National League contest scheduled, Pittsburgh at Boston, was postponed by rain.

Rain halted the Yankee scrimmage with St. Louis, but the half-game added to the New York lead through the Indian defeat placed the Yankees two and a half games ahead with only four to play.

Cleveland still has a chance to grab the flag by winning the three games left on their schedule if the Yankees lose their four.

Cleveland's pennant hopes flickered yesterday when Rommel outpitched Uble and Philadelphia won the first game of a double-header, 3 to 1. The second game was called at the end of the second inning because of darkness.

Rommel and Uble each allowed nine hits, but the Philadelphia hurler kept his balls better scattered than Uble. The Athletics bunched a double by Jenkins and singles by Hale and Simmons after two were out in the third for enough runs to win. Philadelphia backed up Rommel with three double plays.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At New York—	R. H. E.
St. Louis.....	6 12 0
New York.....	4 13 0
Batteries—Rhem, Sherdell and O'Farrell; McQuillan, Barnes, Greenfield and Florence.	
Boston-Pittsburgh game postponed—wet grounds.	
At Philadelphia—	R. H. E.
Cincinnati.....	2 7 0
Philadelphia.....	9 13 0
Batteries—Lucas, Meeker, Nehf and Picinich; Willoughby and Wilson.	
Second game—	R. H. E.
Cincinnati.....	5 14 0
Philadelphia.....	4 10 2
Batteries—Ligue, Lucas and Hargrave; Knight and Jondard.	

AMERICAN LEAGUE

First game—	R. H. E.
At Cleveland—	
Philadelphia.....	2 9 2
Cleveland.....	1 9 2
Batteries—Rommel and Cochran; Uble and Sewell.	
Cleveland, Sept. 24—Philadelphia-Cleveland second game was called end of the second inning; rain. Score 6-6.	
Chicago-Washington game postponed; rain.	

COAST LEAGUE

At Los Angeles—	R. H. E.
Oakland.....	2 4 2
Los Angeles.....	5 10 4
Batteries—Duglia and Booi; Hamilton and Hannah.	
Second game—	R. H. E.
Oakland.....	2 4 2
Los Angeles.....	3 8 0
Batteries—Krause and Baker; Crandall and Sandberg. Seven innings.	
At Seattle—	R. H. E.
Mission.....	10 11 1
Seattle.....	8 11 4

Batteries—Cole, Bryan and Whitney; Borg, Miljus and Baldwin.	
At San Francisco—	R. H. E.
Sacramento.....	12 20 5
San Francisco.....	11 13 2
Batteries—E. Shea, Kallio, Keating and Koehler; Mitchell, Moudy, Geary and Smith.	
At Portland—	R. H. E.
Hollywood.....	2 8 1
Portland.....	10 15 0
Batteries—Pittner, Malloy and Cook; Lingard and Berry.	

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION	
St. Paul 5, Louisville 3.	
Kansas City 6, Columbus 7.	
Millwaukee 4, Toledo 8.	
Minneapolis 0, Indianapolis 1.	

GIANT NATIVE OF NEWFOUNDLAND TO TRY CATALINA SWIM

San Pedro, Cal., Sept. 25.—Louis Hennessy, giant native of Newfoundland, left here shortly after midnight aboard a thirty-six-foot fishing boat for Santa Catalina Island, where, at the turn of the tide this morning he will enter the water in an attempt to swim the Catalina Channel. He planned to head for Point Firmin, on the mainland. The fishing craft, which will convey, is equipped with both receiving and sending radio apparatus with which the progress of the swim will be reported.

JACK FOLLOWS THESE OLD KINGS INTO FISTIC OBLIVION

DEMPSEY-HELD TITLE LONGER THAN ANY HEAVYWEIGHT IN HISTORY

JACK
DEMPSEY
1919-1926



Jack Dempsey ruled the pugilistic parapet longer than any heavyweight champion in history. Jack was on the throne more than seven years. That's quite a span in any athletic endeavor.

Ranking next to Dempsey is Jack Johnson, the gold-toothed colored boy. Johnson led the parade a little less than seven years, or from December, 1908, to April, 1915.

HE THEN RETIRED

Jim Jeffries perched atop the ladder from 1893, when he whipped the lanky Bob Fitzsimmons, until 1905, when he retired because of lack of formidable challengers, or challengers of any type for that matter.

In 1910 Jeff was enticed out of retirement, however, going down to defeat before Johnson, who two years later, a terrific trouncing, Burns came into the honor in 1904 by beating Marvin Hart, who had been

given Jeff's title after stopping Jack Root.

Of the other heavyweight kings, Jim Corbett held the title five years. Corbett shocked, startled and otherwise upset the pugilistic fraternity by putting the great John L. Sullivan, affectionately referred to as the "Boston Strong Boy," out of commission in twenty-one rounds at New Orleans in 1892.

In 1897 Corbett met the "Ruby Rose" Fitzsimmons in their memorable battle at Carson City, Nev. In the fourteenth session Fitz came through with his famous "solarplexus" punch and Corbett's star went out.

Two years after winning the crown Fitz tackled the young giant, Jim Jeffries, a boldermaker by trade. Jeff was too tough for the frail Fitzsimmons, and in the eleventh round Bob was kayoed—the title, of course, passing to Jeff.

Jeffries met them all for the next few years—Sharkey, Fitz, Corbett (twice), Jack Monroe and so on. He

beat every opponent sent against him and then, as mentioned, retired.

WILLARD IN 1915

Jess Willard, the mastodon from the Kansas plains, reached the top heights at Havana, Cuba, in 1915. Willard stopped the Big Smoke, Jack Johnson, on that occasion. He did it in twenty-six rounds. From then until the Dempsey brush at Toledo in 1919 Willard strutted around as the champion of the universe.

The famous clash at Toledo is still fresh in the minds of fistic followers. Jack, outweighed by nearly sixty pounds and resembling a midget pitted against the Willard hulk, all but knocked out the champion in the first round. As it was Dempsey gave Willard such a beating in three sessions Jess was unable to come out for the fourth round.

Starting with the famous John L. Sullivan we find the heavyweight kings ruled their division in this fashion: Sullivan, two years; Corbett, five; Fitzsimmons, two; Jeffries, six; Burns, two; Johnson, six; Willard, four, and Dempsey, seven.

PATRICK TO ATTEND IMPORTANT MEETING OF N.H.L. TO-DAY

Montreal, Sept. 25.—One of the most important events in the annals of professional hockey in Canada is scheduled for today and to-morrow when the annual meeting of the National Hockey League takes place. Frank Patrick, Pacific Coast Hockey mogul, will attend the meeting.

Trades and sales of players and drawing up of a schedule for the 1926-27 season will be one of the most important matters before the delegates.

High School Rugby And Soccer Teams Hold Practices

The rugby enthusiasts of the Victoria High School turned out Thursday afternoon for a practice match. The boys played a fast game on the hard ground, and showed excellent form for a comparatively raw squad, tackling well and passing hard and low.

The players will form the first and second teams for the Victoria High School rugby team for the 1926-27 season.

The boys of the Victoria High School had a soccer practice on Thursday afternoon. About thirty lads were on the field getting in shape for the league games. Coach Brandreth is organizing two teams, and expects to bring some silverware to the school during the football season.

Rugby Union Will Meet on Monday

A meeting of the Victoria Rugby Union will be held on Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock in the office of the president, G. A. Cameron, Union Bank Building.

There will be a general discussion, and it is expected that some decision will be reached relative to the composition of the Senior League.

All clubs are asked to have delegates present.

win a championship. Gene was given the official approval of the New York boxing authorities, but the champion, whose crown he sought, failed to get the necessary license.

Tunney yesterday was a champion at ease. He was a breakfast guest with his old friend, Bill McCabe, of James M. Cox, former governor of Ohio, saw the beauties of Philadelphia from a motor car, and visited a theatre.

Sore muscles occasionally twitched as he walked, reminding him that he had taken some hard blows Thursday night, but he was otherwise in fine fettle. He admitted that he was a trifle fatigued and said that the rest he expects to find at home will be welcome.

Challengers Clamoring For Bouts With Tunney

Firpo, Munn and Persson in Line for Fights, But It Is Likely That Dempsey Will Get the First Chance to Regain Crown; Jack and Gene Meet as Friends; Tunney Given Great Welcome on His Return to New York; In Taxicab Smash

New York, Sept. 25.—Challengers for the heavyweight crown already are clamoring for matches with Gene Tunney.

In Buenos Aires, Luis Firpo, who knocked Jack Dempsey from the ring, announced that he intends to start serious training. He wants to leave Buenos Aires in March to fight in Canada before meeting heavyweights here whose conquest would gain him the position of logical contender for Tunney's title.

Tex Rickard is considering another match between the warriors of the Sesquicentennial. "Jack has asked for a match and it may be put on next spring," Rickard said.

Two other candidates are Harry Persson, Swedish champion who whipped Johnny Risko of Cleveland in his American debut and knocked out Jack Adams in one of the preliminaries Thursday, and Monte Munn, Nebraska wallower, who pummeled Clements on the same card. Both have been mentioned as potential contenders by Rickard.

The new champion, under contract to fight any man Rickard selects, declared he is ready to meet anyone. Two Long Beach oil promoters have wired both Dempsey and Tunney offering a \$750,000 purse for a return match near Los Angeles in January.

The syndicate owning the Wembley Stadium near London have invited the champion and Dempsey to meet there on Derby Day, early in June.

Philadelphia, Sept. 25.—Gene Tunney and Jack Dempsey, foes in a boxing ring Thursday night in quest of the world's heavyweight title, with all the honor and riches accompanying it, met last night in Dempsey's hotel as friends. Tunney called on the deposed champion to pay his respects and say goodbye.

Dempsey with his wife, Estelle Taylor, who joined him this afternoon, left last night for an unnamed destination. Tunney will leave to-morrow morning for his New York home, where he will inspire a tumultuous reception. Dempsey, too, will be in New York within the next few days, and probably will make an announcement of his plans for the future.

The former champion was said to

be eager to gain an opportunity to regain the title lost last night and Gene Normile, his business representative, after the new champion's call on Dempsey, said that a return engagement probably could be arranged.

Philadelphia, Sept. 25.—Waving farewell to a large crowd that wished him a long reign, Gene Tunney, world's champion heavyweight titleholder, left to-day for New York where he is to receive a civic welcome and the plaudits of his native townsmen.

The taxicab that took the champion to the station had a narrow escape from accident. As it swung around City Hall Plaza, it skidded twenty feet on the slippery street and almost struck a trolley car. Tunney was thrown against W. H. Gage, who was riding with him. The champion smiled and said this is almost as "fast as the Dempsey fight."

Tunney said he was anxious to meet his mother and hoped to be able to take her to Maine for a rest. "I'm tired of the city and want to get out under the trees and chop wood," he said.

Going home—to New York—will mark a triumph for the Greenwich Village second only to his clear-cut victory in the Sesqui-centennial ring on Thursday night. He was greatly disappointed when he could not make his bid for the championship before the home folk. However, he found Philadelphia a good city in which to

Two Reds In Neck And Neck Race For N.L. Batting Crown

Hargrave and Christensen of Cincinnati Battle Hotly For Hornsby's Crown

Manush, Detroit, Wins Batting Honors in American League, Displacing Heilmann

Chicago, Sept. 25.—The closing games of the majors season find two Cincinnati Reds in a neck and neck race for the 1926 individual batting championship of the National League.

To-morrow's final efforts may juggle the official figures somewhat but well out in front are "Bubbles" Hargrave, veteran catcher, and Walter Christensen, St. Paul's Association outfielder, who found a regular place in the Reds' lineup when Bressler had to retire.

Christensen has had an excellent first year as a major regular and is in a fair way to finish with an average of .350. Hargrave is well ahead of his last year's performance, crowding .360. He finished the previous season at an even .300.

Two Pirates are ahead in the run-getting, averages released to-day and including Wednesday games show Cuyler and Waner to be the only two league players over the century mark in tallies. The veteran Cuyler has also unofficially captured the base-stealing crown won last year by Carey.

HOME RUN LEADER

Hack Wilson, of the Cubs, leads in home runs, with Bottomley, of the Cardinals, his nearest rival. Waner is ahead in triples and Bottomley leads the list of two-baggers.

Krmer, of Pittsburgh, shown by to-day's averages with 29 victories and 5 games lost, and Rhem, credited with 21 games won for St. Louis and 7 defeats, lead the mound-men. Boof Chicago, and Dazzy Vance, Brooklyn, are fighting for the year's strikeout record.

Cincinnati tops the team batting, with a .291 average. The Cardinals are hitting .287, the Pirates .285, and Pittsburgh is third with a .285.

Leading hitters in more than half the year's games: Christensen, Cincinnati, .355; Bressler, Cincinnati, .357; Hargrave, Cincinnati, .355; E. Smith, Pittsburgh, .346; Stephenson, Chicago, .338; Waner, Pittsburgh, .334; Brown, Boston, .334; Williams, Philadelphia, .333; Bell, St. Louis, .325; Leach, Philadelphia, .329.

MANUSH ON TOP

The spurt under the wire in the American League leaves Manush awaiting only the approval of final official figures to move to the American League's individual batting crown from Harry Heilmann's locker in the Detroit clubhouse to his own. Despite a current faltering in his stride, the fiercer outfielder bids to wind up the year with a slugging average around .375, and is well in the lead. Heilmann, who carried off the honors in 1925, ranks fourth among the regulars.

Babe Ruth, striving with virtually no chance of success to equal his world's record in home runs, places just below Manush in hitting and is well out in front in run-getting. Averages including Wednesday games, and released to-day show Ruth with 134 scores, but also show Goslin of Washington, Motel of Chicago, Genig of New York, Combs of New York, and McManus of St. Louis, who reached or passed the century mark.

MOST LIKELY TO WIN

Johnny Mostil, of the White Sox, has considerably better than a chance of retaining the league base stealing title. Ruth, of course, leads in home runs. Burns, of Cleveland, is safe with a new all-time doubles total, and Gehrig leads in three-base hits.

Among the pitchers, to-day's averages show George Uble with 26 games won and ten lost, for Cleveland. His nearest rival is Herb Pennock, Yankees, with a 21-13 record for the year. Lefty Grove, of Athletics, is crowding a 200 strikeout total.

Washington leads in club batting, with an average of .282. Detroit, Cleveland and the Yankees are all hitting .289.

Leading hitters playing in more than half the year's games: Manush, Detroit, .355; Ruth, New York, .350; Goslin, Washington, .350; Heilmann, Detroit, .350; Burns, Cleveland, .357; E. Smith, Pittsburgh, .357; Collins, Chicago, .344; Feltz, Chicago, .341; E. Rice, Washington, .340; Simons, Philadelphia, .340; Cobb, Detroit, .340.

Rene Lacoste Leaves For France With U.S. Tennis Championship

New York, Sept. 25.—Rene Lacoste, youthful French tennis star, to-day is taking the national singles cup symbolic of individual tennis supremacy in the United States, on its first ocean voyage in twenty years.

Lacoste, with his countryman, Jean Borotra, swarmed through the ranks of American singles players last week at Forest Hills. For a year at least, the famous cup, long the possession of W. T. Tilden, will rest in France.

NEW TOWER OF BABEL

The great variety of languages spoken into the microphones of European broadcasting stations makes listening-in on that continent sound like a visit to the Tower of Babel, according to Z. Kitch, former resident of Washington, D.C., who is visiting in Serbia.

are Needed in Arranging the Stance

Many Golfers Now Anxious To Stand Like Bobby Jones

Vardon Warns Against Keeping Feet Close Together Like Famous Champion

Jones Must Be Reached Built to Most People, Thinks Vardon

By HARRY VARDON

Since the victorious visit of the United States amateurs to Britain this season, the attention of golfers has been directed very considerably to the question of the stance.

It has been proclaimed by several usually good judges of the game (and the theory has speed to the magnitude of an established truth) that the Americans have a manner of standing to the ball which is markedly different from that adopted by British players. It is said that our rivals—and for the time being, conquerors—have their feet closer together, and also stand nearer to the ball than we do. This impression has become so widespread that tens of thousands of golfers in all parts of the country have been putting the idea into practice.

JONES DIFFERENT

So far as I have been able to observe it is only Bobby Jones who has the trait mentioned in a degree that distinguishes him from the leading British players. The other Americans stand pretty much as our golfers do, with the feet ordinarily wide apart and just about as far from the ball as we have become accustomed to seeing. Presumably it is because Jones is the bright particular star of his country so far as concerns golf, that his methods have been accepted as the models of American methods in general. But they are not. They are as different from the principles favored by his compatriots as they are different from ours.

It would be very nice if we could all copy Jones faithfully, and produce his effects, but I fear that it is little use attempting the task. His swing is the acme of grace. He makes the game look supremely simple. The secret of it certainly is not contained in the closeness of his stance. He achieves it in spite of this peculiarity rather than because of it, and for the average mortal to attempt the imitation of it is likely to be not only futile but fatal to his chances of success, and yet vast numbers of players have been trying to emulate the champion in this respect.

FOOT ACTION

Jones must be built differently from the great majority of people, or he would never be able to stand with his feet so close together for full drives, and long iron shots, and yet swing the club so beautifully with a maintenance of perfect body-balance. He must have a wonderful pair of hips that give his body all the play it needs in turning on its own axis, for it looks obvious that the feet cannot assist in the promotion of this freedom of action, as it does with most of us.

To be sure, we do not allow our feet to turn out of position, but the process of screwing the body round at the hips and then back again for the upward and downward movements of the club extends to the very ball of the foot.

TIED INTO A KNOT

Jones has his feet so close together that it appears impossible for him to give them the necessary play, although it may be that his physical constitution enables him to do what would be impossible to other people. During the address, his stance makes him look cramped. It is the only stage of his golf at which an element of constraint asserts itself. It dissolves into easy grace directly he begins the swing, but it could not do that unless he had uncommon gifts of physique. Almost everybody else with his feet so close together would be tied into a knot and thrown off his balance before he had taken the club half-way up.

I hope at some future time to set down approximate measurements of the distance that the feet should be apart for various kinds of shots in the case of an ordinary built person. At the moment, it is sufficient to emphasize the unwisdom, unless the player is one of very unusual physical attributes, of trying to imitate Jones by standing as he does. It is just as unsuitable for the average golfer as standing very straddle-legged.

There is less harm in copying Jones's tendency to be near to the ball—nearer than the normal—for he is at least well over his work, which is better for the average golfer than being out in a strained way to address or hit the ball. It may be remarked, however, that Jones evidently adopts this position near to the ball—because Nature prompts him to stand in a more erect way during the swing than most people do. Thus disposed, he has to be close to the ball.

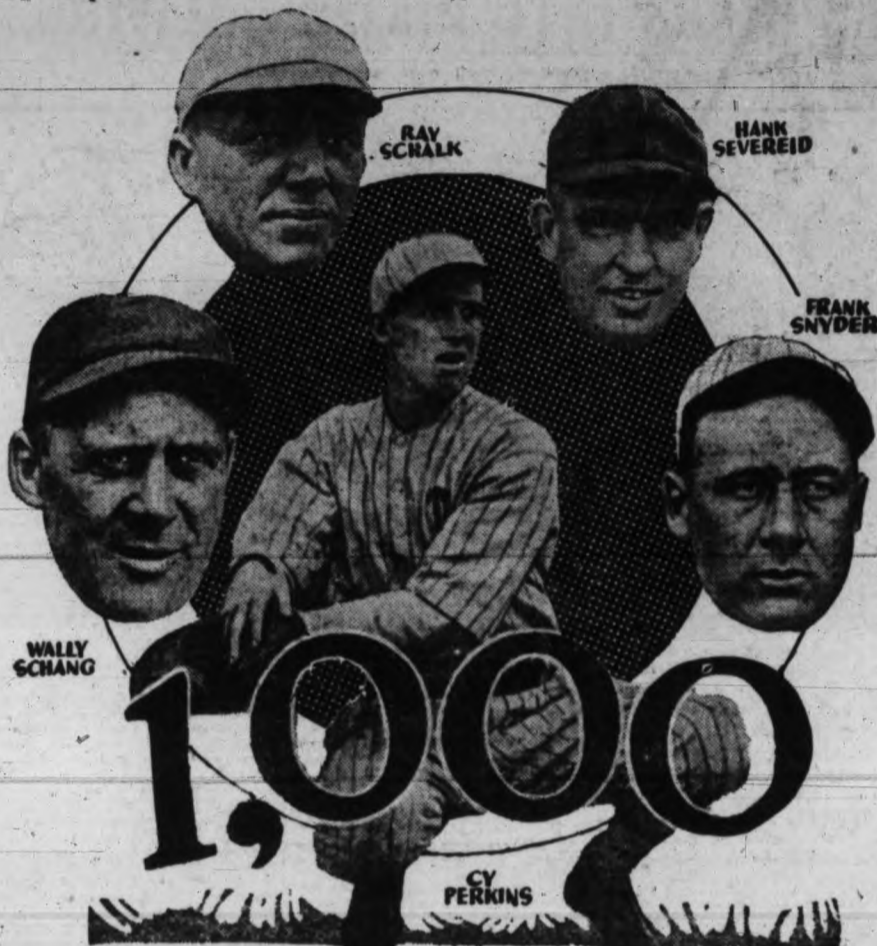
THE FINGER GRIP

Conjointly with the question of the stance we may consider that of the grip. For if we stand correctly and grip the club properly, we are at least favorably started on the way to efficiency.

It is surely a striking circumstance that nearly all the great golfers of the present day favor the overlapping finger grip. As Mitchell does not adopt that system, but his manner of arranging his hands makes his grip a finger grip, the distinction being that he does not overlap.

The main essential is, I think, to hold the club in the fingers rather than deeply in the palms of the hands, and it is only by overlapping

Cy Perkins Joins Select Circles of Catchers Who Have Caught 1,000 Games



Only five catchers now performing in the majors have worked in 1,000 or more games during their major league careers.

Ralph "Cy" Perkins, veteran star of the Philadelphia Athletics, joined the select circle the other day. The other four who have won such distinction are Ray Schalk of the Chicago White Sox, Wally Schang of the St. Louis Browns, Hank Severid of the New York Yankees and Frank Snyder, formerly of the Giants, but now with the St. Louis Cardinals.

It is a rather peculiar coincidence that the name of these four performers begins with the letter "S." The entry of Perkins into the list breaks the spell of that letter.

Perkins has been with the Athletics nine years, which means he has averaged better than 100 games per season back of the bat.

Over a stretch of five years, extending from 1920 to 1924, Perkins worked harder than any of the other veterans over the same period.

IN 148 GAMES TWICE

In 1920 he took part in 148 games, while in the four years that followed he caught in 141, 148, 143 and 128 contests, making a total of 708 games, or an average of 142 for five years of play.

It is also a rather interesting fact that Perkins celebrated game "999" by catching the great "Lefty" Grove in the first big league tilt ever played in Philadelphia on Sunday. Incidentally, a timely hit by "Cy" won the game.

Aside from being one of the very few modern catchers to take part in 1,000 or more games, Perkins holds another endurance record that may be questioned as an honor.

It is a certainty that during his nine years with Philadelphia, Perkins has handled the deliveries of more pitchers than any catcher that has performed under the big tent.

WITH LAST PLACE TEAMS

During most of his career with the Athletics the club was a tailender, hopeless. In an effort to get somewhere, Connie Mack experimented with every pitcher that was recommended to him. It was up to Perkins to do the catching.

The sensational showing of the rookie catcher, Mickey Cochrane, last season, both in the field and at the bat, temporarily thrust Perkins into the background. He caught only sixty-five games in 1925. This year he is going as well as ever again.

Perkins is hopeful of catching in at least 500 more games and wouldn't be surprised if he kept going for another 1,000.

Million-Dollar Gate In Series Accepted

Receipts for Last Three Major League Classics Have Gone in That Class and There Is Every Indication That This Year It Will Once Again Run Over the Mark, Even If It Does Not Set a New Record

New York, Sept. 25.—The million-dollar world's series apparently is an established affair in baseball. Receipts for the last three major league classics have gone well beyond this mark and with the game's biggest park, the Yankee Stadium, available for part of the coming struggle, there is every prospect that the high tide of finance will continue.

The fact that the championship of the past three seasons have run to six or seven games every time has helped swell the "gates" but the odds usually favor the battle going close to the limit. Only one series in over a score of years has been decided in four straight games, that of 1914 when the Braves trounced the Athletics.

HIGH WATER MARK

Last year's struggle between the Pittsburgh Pirates and Washington Senators set a new high mark in total receipts, \$1,152,554, although the attendance, 232,830, fell a little below the records of the previous two years. This was because more higher-priced seats were sold in Pittsburgh and Washington. The 1923 championship between the Yankees and Giants established an attendance mark of 301,430 in six games. It was made possible through the use of the game's biggest two enclosures, the Yankee Stadium and the Polo Grounds, and isn't likely to be broken this fall.

The same series also established a single game attendance record of 62,817, with record receipts of 201,459, more money than was taken in from the full six-game series of 1918 between the Red Sox and Cubs.

Following is the detailed disposition of last year's receipts:

Players' share	\$339,644.09
Pittsburgh Pirates' share	141,650.16
Washington Senators' share	95,100.37
Each Pittsburgh player	5,362.73
Each Washington player	3,754.09
Second place team's share	2,754.09
(Giants and Athletics)	
Third place team's share	25,478.31
(Reds and Browns)	
Fourth place team's share	14,092.31
(Cardinals and Tigers)	
Each	4,461.11
Advisory Council's share	177,492.12
Each club's share	166,445.42
Each league's share	166,445.42

that most people can be induced to do this. If they decline to overlap, the club slides into the depths of the palms, and perfect control of it is blunted.

Everybody who has studied golf knows the overlapping principle; the right thumb resting on the left thumb and the little finger of the right hand riding on the forefinger of the left. It is important to remember, however, that the backs of the hands must tend to be over rather than under the shaft; it is this that promotes the finger grip. I strongly recommend everybody who wants to improve to give it a protracted trial. It is well worth making this grip the subject of a lesson from the professional.

On Twelve Occasions Walt Johnson Won 20 Games In Year

Every Pitcher's Ambition These Days is to Check in With Twenty Wins

Lazzeris Has Been Main Cause For Good Showing of Yankees This Season

The winning of twenty ball games by a big league pitcher these days is considered an extraordinary feat and well it should be.

Last season in the major leagues, just seven twirlers managed to capture twenty or more games, four in the American and three in the National.

Walter Johnson in his nineteenth year was one of the seven with an even twenty victories to his credit. Dazzy Vance led all pitchers with thirty-two victories while Ted Lyons and Ed Ruppel were high in the American with one less win.

Perhaps no finer tribute to the greatness of Walter Johnson as a pitcher could be cited than the fact that during his career of twenty years, he has on twelve occasions turned in twenty or more victories.

In 1911 he broke the 30-mark in victories with thirty-two triumphs, and the following year he won thirty-six, while losing only seven.

Walter considers 1912 his greatest season. It was during that year that he won sixteen straight.

It will be a long time before baseball produces another Walter Johnson. In his twentieth year he's still going nicely.

LAZZERI BOOSTS YANKS

If asked to name the one biggest factor in the unusual success attained by the New York Yankees this season, I would pass the honor to Tony Lazzeri.

In upstating the dope by making the pace in the American League, all members of the club have contributed much help, but to me, Tony Lazzeri stands out.

Playing second base, a position new to him, he has hopes by displaying a brand of bangup baseball all the way. His steadiness did much to keep what was a rookie infield on its feet.

Lazzeri has the courage that makes for great players. He is going to be much improved next season. It seems the Yankees will have no worry for years about second base play.

ANENT PLAYING TIME

I have often been asked why the National League games as a rule are played in faster time than the American League contests this season.

Not until this year have I been able to satisfactorily dope out the situation. Having seen a half dozen National League contests this season, I am prepared to speak.

Most of the difference in the time between the games, the American as a rule being from 15 to 20 minutes slower, is due to the fact that the policy that prevails in the junior organization.

Batters in the American League worry the pitcher farther down the line than the National. That takes time.

TAKE THEIR CUTS

In the National League, with the count two balls and no strikes and the knowledge that the pitcher is going to get the next one over the batter invariably take a healthy swing at that pitch if the ball is good.

In the American League, the better batters excepted, it is the policy to take the next pitch, with the count two balls and no strikes. And, if it should be a ball, the batter always looks the next one over as well.

Those additional pitches in each game take up considerable time and offer the most logical explanation of the fact that the American League consumes more time in the playing of its games.

MACK GIVES VIEWS

Discussing the theory of waiting out the pitcher with Connie Mack recently, he made what was a very interesting statement to me.

His observations had to do with the count of three balls and one strike on the batter. He is firmly convinced that at such a stage, unless the batter is up there for the sole purpose of trying to get a base hit, it is always wise to take the next pitch.

"Over a long period I tabulated the happenings with the count three balls and one strike on the batter," said Mack, "and I found that in all such cases it is better than an even bet the batter will walk if he takes the pitcher down the line."

"The odds are against the pitcher getting two strikes over when he is pitching to do so."

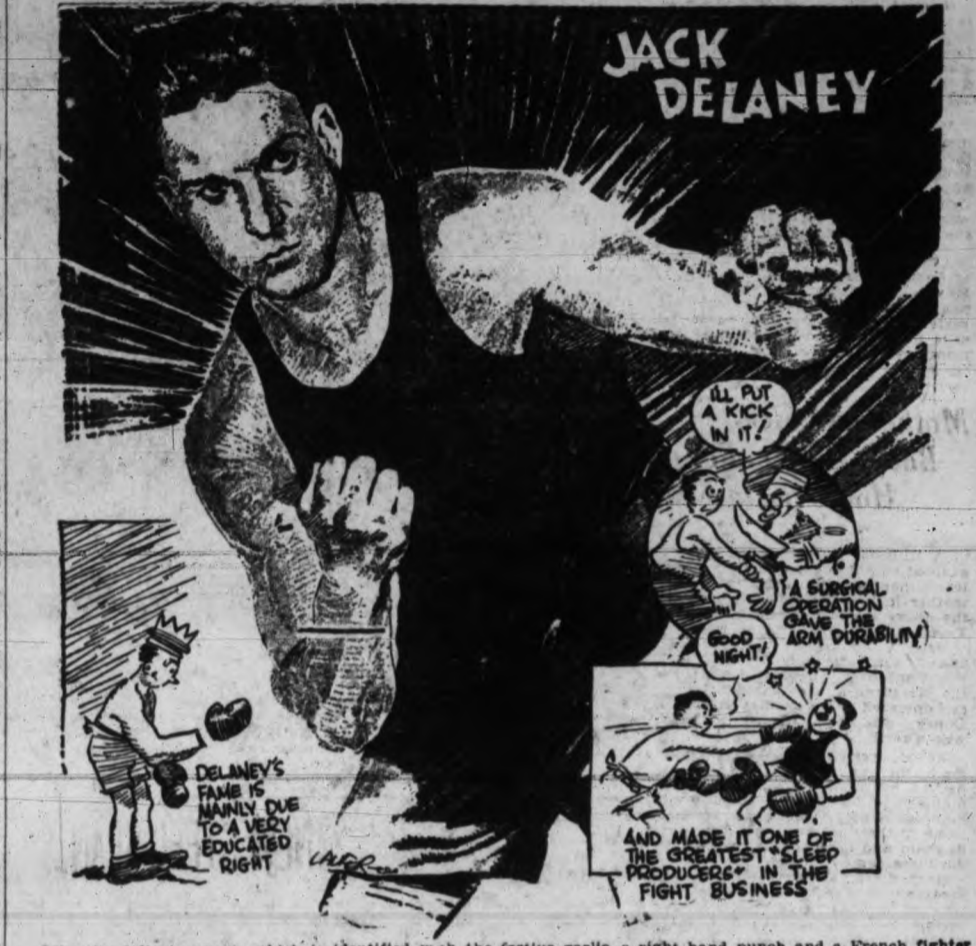
"I have doped it out that it is better for the pitcher to wait out the batter at such a time. Some managers will not do the contrary. My players after trying out the system usually reach the same conclusion as I do."

Boys Gains a Lead Over Jack McMillan

Sid Boys, Western billiard champion, last night gained a lead of forty-four points over Jack McMillan, former Canadian champion, in the first set of their 2,000-point match, being played at the Empress Hotel billiard-room. No large breaks were made. Boys' best breaks were 69, 63, 62 and 41, while McMillan's best scores were 65, 64, 44 and 42. The second set is being played this afternoon, and the final set at 8 o'clock to-night.

— 1. Whipsaw, 111, Lounan, 57.60, 33.40, 22.80; 2. Evelyn Brown, 111, Farnsworth, 55.60, 22.80; 3. Silas, 111, 404, Corbett, 33.40. Time, 2:55 3-5.

Good Right-Hands Seem to Be Part And Parcel of Good French Battlers



Like the delicate aroma which is identified with the festive garlic, a right hand punch and a French fighter are inseparable.

This goes as well for the certified Class A Frenchman of the Carpenter type as it does for the boys who are catalogued casually in the genealogy files as being of "French extraction."

By now the world knows that Mons. Ovila Chapdelaine, known less heroically as Jack Delaney, is the new light heavyweight champion of the works. That he is also of French extraction is not a secret, either.

Delaney's best punch is his right hand. He could have checked his left with his Aunt Emma over in Bridgeport, Conn., the night he shellacked Paul Berlenbach and still won the title by at least seven furlongs.

Delaney's right is probably the most versatile right hand that ever dangled menacingly from a belligerent shoulder socket. If there is anything he can't do with it I failed to notice what it was during his brisk rebellion against the "Castoria Assassin."

DELANEY'S RIGHT IS DIFFERENT

All Carpenters could do with that great right hand of his was to shoot it straight from the shoulder. This meant he had to have just the opening he wanted before he could get results. When it did land, of course, it was a kayo. Delaney's right is not like that.

At long range Delaney can shoot his right either on a straight line or from an angle; in close he can drive it hard to the body with plenty of body power furnishing the impetus, or he can shoot it to the jaw, a ripping uppercut, that carries plenty of danger.

There is, in short, a fluency and a flexibility to the operation which makes the Delaney right a rather remarkable weapon. This is a quality not unusual in left-handed punchers but it is seldom found in such abundance in right-handers.

DEVELOPED REAL KAYO POWER

It might be interesting to recall at this point that the Delaney right is synthetic as to ingredients. Which is to say it is the original pattern torn down and rebuilt to suit the tenant. When Delaney started boxing his right was brittle as glass. After every fight from one to three bones would be broken.

Finally, after breaking the hand for the eleventh time, fighting Jimmy Darcy in the semi-final of the Harry Greb-Johnny Wilson fight three years ago he tossed it on the surgical table of G. W. Frailek, noted fistic knife man, and said, "Put in a new battery, grind the valves and give it a Duco finish."

Frailek must have performed a miraculous operation on Delaney's hand, for not only did it acquire a new durability but it immediately developed a knockout power that the hand in its original design never knew. Except for a slight fracture of the thumb sustained in the Berlenbach bout, Delaney's right hasn't been hurt since.

LAVIGNE, WALCOTT AND OTHERS

Other fighters of French blood, though not strictly Frenchmen, to attain distinction as right hand sockers were George Lavigne, who was good enough to beat one of the greatest fighters of all time, namely, Joe Walcott; Tommy Burns, who won the heavyweight title succeeding Jeffries, and Arthur Pelky.

It was around Pelky's right, you may recall, that was written one of the harrowing tragedies of modern boxing.

He caught Luther McCarty, best of the white heavyweights at the time, back of the ear in the first round with a long right and the Irishman fell to the floor dead.

This came only a few minutes after a local clergyman had delivered a sonorous sermon from the ring, the subject of which was "The mystery of death."

Pennock Has Chance to Equal Coombs' Record

New York Yankee Pitcher, If His Club Makes the World's Series, Will Have Opportunity to Break Mark of Five Pitching Victories in World's Series; Other Records

New York, Sept. 25.—The world's series pitching record of five victories and no defeats, held by the old Colby cannonader, John Wesley Coombs, is shared by only one man, Herb Pennock, in the approaching baseball championship classic. And it would take three triumphs by the frail, willowy Yankee southpaw to equal the mark of Colby Jack.

Chief Bender, old-time mate of Coombs on the Athletics, holds the distinction of gaining the most world's series victories, six, but the famous Chippewa Indian tasted several defeats. Coombs' perfect record was achieved as the result of three victories in 1910 and one in 1911 with the Athletics, his fifth coming in 1916 when he had transferred his allegiance to Brooklyn.

COVELESKI LOST CHANCE

Coombs' mark of three victories in one series is shared by three other mound heroes, the late Chirsky Mathewson, who gave added lustre to his 1905 feat by making all of his games shut-outs against the Athletics; Babe Adams, who registered three triumphs for the Pirates over Detroit in 1909; and Stanley Coveleski, three-time victor for Cleveland over Brooklyn in 1920. "Covey" had a chance last fall to tie or surpass Coombs' mark but was beaten in both of his starts for Washington against the Pirates.

Pennock got his first baptism of world's series fire in 1914 when he was a youngster with the Philadelphia Athletics but it consisted only of three innings' work as a relief twirler. His big effort was in 1923, when he pitched the Yankees to two victories over the Giants and helped clinch the world's series for the Hugons. Outstanding facts on world's series pitching follow:

Ed Reulbach of the Chicago Cubs allowed the "hittest wonders," the White Sox of 1904, only one hit. There have been five two-hit games, pitched by Ed Walsh of the White Sox.

Walter Johnson of the Senators in 1924 equaled Ed Walsh's 1906 record for strikeouts in one game, with twelve on the opening day of the Giants-Senators series, a twelve-inning battle.

Jack Coombs issued fourteen passes.

in the 1910 series, nine of them in one game. The Giants has allowed thirty-one bases on balls in the four series in which he has appeared.

Jeff Tesreau had three wild pitches in the Red Sox-Giants battles of 1912.

The late Wild Bull Donovan hit three batsmen in the series of 1907 between the Tigers and Cubs.

Four pitchers have suffered five defeats in the baseball classics, Plank, Mathewson, Rube Marquard and Joe Bush.

Mathewson holds the record for all-time world's series mound work—107 2-3 innings in four series; also the most for one series, 23 2-3.

Babe Ruth, home-run slugger of the Yankees, has a world's series record aside from his efforts as a batsman. He left-handed through twenty-nine scoreless innings for the Red Sox in 1916 and 1918.

Sculling Champion Will Defend Title Probably in States

Los Angeles, Sept. 25.—Major Goodsell of Australia, holder of the world's sculling championship, to-day announced the receipt of a challenge from Pat Hannon, champion of New Zealand, for a race for the championship and a purse of \$5,000.

Goodsell also announced that he has been notified that Bert Barry, English champion, has decided to issue a challenge.

Under world's championship rules, the titleholder must accept the first challenge within three months. Goodsell said he has not accepted Hannon's defi, but he would race the New Zealander as soon as he could find a suitable course. He stated that the race will have to be held in America and most likely in Southern California waters.

Hupmobile sell in Victoria \$2,185 fully equipped.

DAMAGED STEAMER SUFFERS NO DELAY

Accident Which Killed Five Men Does Not Hold up Ss. Finland

San Francisco, Sept. 25.—Although five men were killed when a steam pipe burst on the Panama Pacific liner Finland last Friday, as she was coming through the canal, there will be no delay in her schedule, according to the Pacific manager of the line, said yesterday.

No details of the accident had been received here by Mr. Archer, except that a steam pipe had burst in the fore-cabin of the ship, killing five men and wounding others, the fifth dying while being taken to the canal hospital.

With a full list of passengers, many of whom are on a world cruise, the Dollar round-the-world liner President Monroe will leave this port at 4 p.m. to-day for Honolulu, the Orient and other ports of call on her world circuit. A capacity cargo is in the hold of the steamer.

After having delivered 4,000,000 feet of Pacific Coast lumber to Mexico, the Nelson Steamship Company's steamer Mukilteo arrived here yesterday with a cargo and a schooner in tow. The schooner left here last month with 1,200,000 feet of lumber on board, while the vessel in tow carried 2,800,000 feet.

Mother and Sick Baby Adrift For Hours in Gasboat

Vancouver, B.C., Sept. 25.—Details of a thrilling adventure in which a gasboat containing a mother, her sick child and her mother-in-law drifted helplessly in the heavy sea in English Bay all day Tuesday came to light yesterday.

Mrs. Collingham of De Courcy Island, some distance up the coast, left Vancouver Tuesday morning in the Margaret, a large gasboat, owned and operated by her brother-in-law, H. Doney. She took with her her baby, who was ill.

At 11 o'clock, while off Sitka Rock, the engine failed and the boat drifted helplessly around the remainder of the day. A venturesome man out rowing, despite the weather, came to their aid and took Mrs. Collingham and her baby ashore just as darkness came.

Harbor officials were notified immediately and two tugs were dispatched to find the craft. They were unable to locate any trace of the gasboat, however.

City police officials were notified of the incident Thursday morning and their aid enlisted. Capt. Horace Vince and Engineer Officer William McGill responded with the police boat William McRae. After a diligent search along the north shore they came across the Margaret drifting off the foot of Seventeenth Street, West Vancouver.

Doney is said to have still been aboard endeavoring to get the engine in working order. The boat was towed back to the Gore Avenue wharf by the police boat. Mrs. Collingham and her daughter left on the morning boat Thursday for Nanaimo after her anxiety over the safety of her brother-in-law had been cleared up.

MAYOR PRESSES FOR ACTION ON ELEVATOR PLANS

Calls For Immediate Start or Will Ask City to Make New Deal

Will Proceed to Regina to Interview Heads of Panama Pacific Company

While on the prairies as Victoria delegate to the Dominion Good Roads convention at Edmonton, Mayor J. C. Pendray will take the opportunity of going on to Regina to get a definite answer from the Panama Pacific Grain Elevator Company on the construction of an elevator on the Ogden Point docks. His Worship left on the afternoon boat for Vancouver, en route to Edmonton, where the convention opens September 28.

Before he left Mayor Pendray made it plain that the city had reached the end of its patience in regard to existing arrangements with the elevator company.

"I have been in communication with the Panama Pacific Grain Elevator Company for some time, and I may say I am not satisfied with the progress they have made. The city wants definite assurance that work will be started at Ogden Point docks in the immediate future and unless that is forthcoming I am going to lay the whole matter before the council."

"There are other interests capable of taking up this elevator construction programme, and anxious to do so. Unless we have the definite assurance of the Panama-Pacific Company that work will be started immediately I am going to ask the council to enter into negotiations with these other interests," concluded the Mayor.

This is the second warning note sounded by the city in its relations with the elevator interests which secured the concession at Ogden Point docks. A definite part of the agreement was the work should be commenced within a reasonable period. Failure to do this, says Mayor Pendray, will mean that the city will revoke its consent, and seek other interests capable of putting over the grain elevator project here.

Africa Maru Sails For Orient To-night

Outbound for the Orient the Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Africa Maru will arrive here to-night at 4 o'clock from Seattle. After taking on fifty passengers here she will depart about 5 o'clock. The vessel's holds are full, her cargo consisting mainly of provisions for the Far East ports.

Sydney, N.S.W., Sept. 25.—The flying boat Widegon, officially tested here recently, attained an average speed of 102 miles an hour.

BRITISH LABOR LEADER TOURS DOMINION



The Mr. H. N. Thomas, P.C., M.P. (left), photographed with his wife and family just before they sailed back to England on the Cunard liner Ansonia from the port of Montreal. Mr. Thomas is general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen in Britain and was Secretary of State for the Colonies in the British Labor Government. The Thomas family arrived on the Cunard liner Ansonia and have spent three weeks touring the Dominion, accompanied by one of their sons, who is a resident of Montreal. The party were enthusiastic over their impressions of Canada and the reception they enjoyed everywhere.

NEW STEEL SPAN WILL BE IN USE MONDAY MORNING

Replaces Old Trestle Over Little Qualicum River; 140 Feet High

Monday morning will see the new steel railway span over Little Qualicum River in operation. H. E. Beasley, general superintendent of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway, announced this morning.

Preparations for the completion of the new span are all ready. The Canadian Bridge Company are in charge of operations and, when the last train for the week-end has passed over the old trestle at 4 o'clock this evening, work will be commenced upon the transferring of rails to the new construction.

The span over the Little Qualicum is one of many replacements of old trestles on the railway. It measures 150 feet in length, there being two spans of seventy-five feet each. It is built over a fairly deep canyon and at its highest point is some 140 feet from the river bed.

Shipping Merger In Seattle Causes Tonnage Increase

Seattle, Sept. 25.—Merger of the United American Line, the Columbia Pacific Shipping Company and Sudduth & Christensen into the Arrow Line, operating an intercoastal service, has resulted in an increased westbound tonnage, C. H. Chandler, general manager for Sudduth & Christensen, reported here yesterday.

Outbound vessels are booked to capacity with seasonal products, he said. Congestion in ports on the Island of Curacao off the coast of Venezuela makes it advisable for Pacific coast shippers of lumber to Maracaibo, Venezuela, to avoid transshipping at Curacao, the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce announced here yesterday. The bureau advised lumber exporters, instead of transshipping at Curacao, to charter small vessels, load them to capacity, then discharge enough at Curacao to lighten the vessel to the 11 feet 2 inches draft required for passage over the Maracaibo Bar and have them return to Curacao for the balance of the cargo.

Departure of the Ss. Northwestern of the Alaska Steamship Company to Nome on the final voyage of the year has been postponed from October 3 to 12. The vessel leaves to-day on a round trip to Southwestern Alaska. The Ss. Yukon of the same line is to be withdrawn from service October 2 for repairs.

Eighty-One Cocktails

London, Sept. 25.—Having received complaints from American visitors that their list of cocktails was not comprehensive enough, the committee of a West End Club has prepared a menu containing no fewer than eighty-one appetizers. Among them are the "Old Etimian," "Depth Bomb," "Whiz Bang," "Dixi Dixi," "Monkey Gland," "Princess Mary," "Gloom Raiser" and "Third Degree." Included among the dry cocktails are highballs, "smashes" and "pussy-foots."

HUNTING — FISHING

Direct Service To Cowichan Lake
Motor Coach Leaves Victoria (Point Ellice Station, C.N.R.) 9:00 a.m. daily except Sunday for Cowichan Lake and Youbou (Mile 55).

SPOKEN BY WIRELESS

September 24, 8 p.m.—Shipping: ROCHELLE, Esquimalt for San Francisco, 40 miles from Esquimalt.

CANADIAN OBSERVER, Astoria for San Pedro, 53 miles south of Astoria.

TUG LORNE, towing Blokamon and Alacayne, abeam Boat Bluff, GREY, Rose Harbor for Nanaimo, 325 miles from Nanaimo.

NIAGARA, 735 miles from Victoria, outbound.

September 25, 8 a.m.—Weather: Estevan—Clear; calm; 30.36; 44; smooth.

Pachena—Clear; east light; 30.32; 22; smooth.

Alex Bay—Clear; calm; 30.38; 40; smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30.26; 36; smooth.

Local People on Ruth Alexander

Among the local passengers who will go aboard the Pacific Steamship Company's coastwise liner Ruth Alexander when she sails for the south to-morrow morning will be Mrs. J. E. Umbach and daughter, Millicent L. Scrutton, Mrs. J. P. Chivers, Harold McNaughton and Mrs. Peter McNaughton. The vessel will pick up 150 passengers here altogether, a number of these being from Vancouver.

She will also pick up 100 tons of general cargo here, destined for southern ports. She sails at 9 a.m.

Auto Ferry Routes

Anacortes-Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) Auto ferry Puget.
September 20 to November 30, 1926
Leave Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) for Anacortes daily, 9:00 a.m., calling at Roche Harbor, Orcas and Lopez Island.
Leave Anacortes for Victoria (Sidney, B.C.) daily, 2:00 p.m., calling at Lopez Island, Orcas and Roche Harbor.

Ms. Motor Princess.
(Daily Except Sunday)

Vancouver 7:00 a.m. Nanaimo 10:30 a.m. Nanaimo 10:30 a.m. Vancouver 2:15 p.m.
Mill Bay Ferry.
Mill Bay Ferry bridge Island Highway at Malahat. Leaves Verdier Avenue, Brentwood, 7:30 a.m., 9:15 a.m., 11 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 3:15 p.m., 5 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. Leaves Camp Point, Mill Bay, 8:30 a.m., 10:15 a.m., 12 noon, 2:30 p.m., 4:15 p.m., 6:00 p.m. and 7:45 p.m.

London, Sept. 25.—England is overcrowded, but there still are plenty of large estates. A recent property offered for sale included grounds so extensive that the owner could walk a mile straightaway on grass and not step outside the boundaries of the estate.

TRANS-PACIFIC MAILS

September, 1926
China and Japan
President Jackson—Mails close Sept. 27, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 28, 7 a.m. Shanghai Sept. 29, Hongkong Sept. 29, 11 a.m. Kaga Maru—Mails close Sept. 9, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 10, 11 a.m. Empress of Asia—Mails close Sept. 10, 5 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 11, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 11, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 12, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 12, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 13, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 13, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 14, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 14, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 15, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 15, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 16, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 16, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 17, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 17, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 18, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 18, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 19, 11 a.m. Empress of Canada—Mails close Sept. 19, 4 p.m. due at Yokohama Sept. 20, 11 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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN

FOSTER—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold Foster, 1033 Queen's Avenue, a son, on September 21, at McEwan Nursing Home, Hillside Avenue.

LITTLE—To Mr. and Mrs. Tom Little, 633 Manchester Road, a son, on September 21, at McEwan Nursing Home, Hillside Avenue.

NEWBORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay Newbourn, 241 Alpha Street, a son (stillborn), Sept. 25.

RIDOUT—To Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Ridout, 1940 Birch Street, a daughter, on September 24, at McEwan Nursing Home, Hillside Avenue.

DIED

McPHERSON—On Sept. 24, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, the death occurred of Margaret Livingston McPheron, aged forty years, born in Benbecula, Scotland, and a resident of this city for the past twenty years. Deceased is survived by two sisters, Mrs. J. Patterson and Miss E. McPheron, also a niece, all of this city; one brother in New Zealand, three brothers in Scotland and one brother in India.

The funeral will take place Monday morning, Sept. 27, the cortege leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 8.40 o'clock, and at 9 o'clock mass will be held at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, the Willows, by the Rev. Father J. R. Buckley. Interment will be made in Rose Bay Cemetery.

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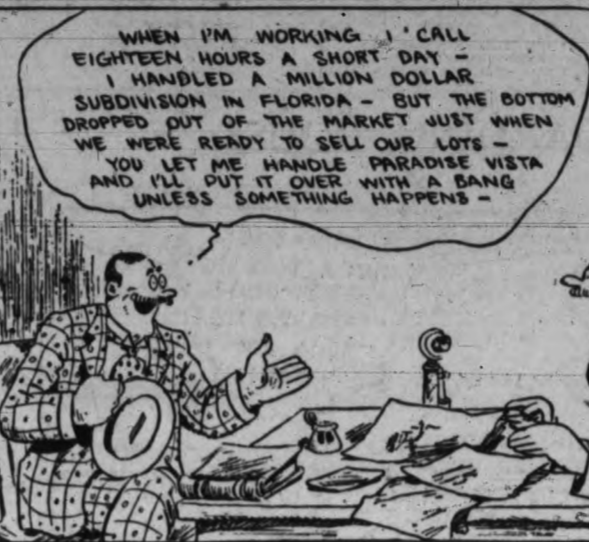
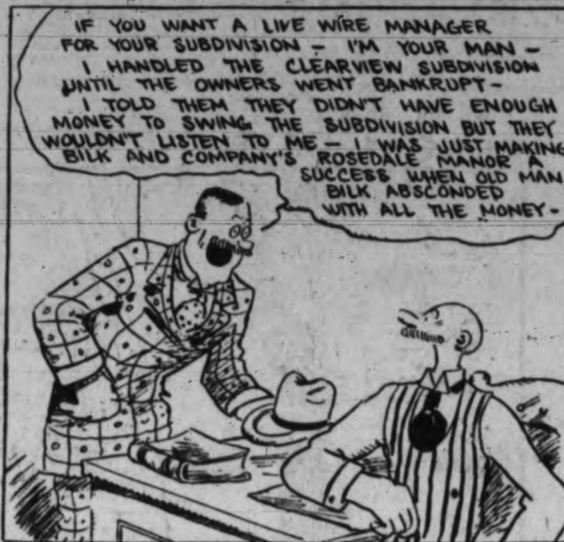
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UNITED STATES, which has a get-together complex. Secret societies will seek political affiliations, the seers prophesy.

Secret military alliances are foretold and these will disturb the world, but will be of little moment on this side of the water, an English astrologer foretells.

Again Ireland is to be the scene of many troubles, but conditions are to become better before Spring.

Strangely enough fires are to become more prevalent than usual, owing to the posting of the planets and many lives will be lost. Great care should be taken to prevent combustion.

In October it is prophesied by occultists, a long military death roll will startle the world.

Many royal missions and important international conferences may be expected before the beginning of the new year. Washington will entertain many distinguished visitors.

Persons whose birthday it is have the augury of a year of unusual pleasures of the lighter sort. Financial affairs should be satisfactory.

Children born on this day probably will have a sunny, happy disposition. These Libra people are usually pleasure-loving and popular with the opposite sex.

Analysis of American Druggists Syndicate
By J. M. SMALL, B.C. Bond Corporation

The American Druggists Syndicate was incorporated in 1916 to manufacture family remedies, toilet articles, pharmaceuticals, perfumes, and various drug sundries and chemicals. In August, 1926, the company transferred the character of its business from a manufacturing and distributor of drugs and drug sundries to a manufacturer and seller of a small line of faster moving articles.

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Langford

Langford, Sept. 25.—A meeting of the members of St. Matthew's Guild was held at the home of Mrs. G. Neal, Mrs. E. Goucher, president, in the chair. Great regret was felt at the resignation of the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. C. Thorburn, who is shortly leaving the district. Mrs. Percy Welsh was elected to the office. Plans were made regarding a new altar carpet, which is badly needed in the sanctuary. The harvest thanksgiving being on Sunday, October 3, there will be a social

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STORMS CAUSE OF LOSSES IN ONTARIO

Petrolia and Kingston Districts Visited by Heavy September Winds

Petrolia, Ont., Sept. 25.—A storm of cyclonic wind and torrential rain struck this district with force yesterday afternoon, leaving in its wake a swath of ruined country, tangled telegraph and telephone wires, wrecked houses and toppled oil derricks.

The wind swept from the west, accompanied by an electrical storm that amounted to a tropical deluge. Automobiles were unable to make any headway in the gale, and one truck was blown completely off the highway.

The streets of this town were impassable for vehicular traffic owing to the tree trunks the cyclone blew across the roads. Two houses were blown from their foundations and several roofs of residences were torn off.

One of the oil fields that came in the path of the hurricane suffered badly. Every one of the derricks was flattened, leaving a spectacle of desolation.

ST. THOMAS SUFFERS
St. Thomas, Ont., Sept. 25.—A torrential rain which swept this city and district early yesterday flooded many acres and caused unestimated damage to late crops, especially the extensive bean acreage west of the city. During a five-hour period there and a half inches of rain fell, covering the streets into miniature streams and causing large sections of the sidewalks to sag through undermining. The city's storage dams overflowed to a depth of three feet.

STORM AT KINGSTON
Kingston, Sept. 25.—This district was struck by a heavy wind and rain storm yesterday morning, and throughout the countryside were uprooted, while farms reported a large amount of damage had been done to grain remaining in the fields. Many buildings were slightly damaged, but no casualties were reported.

Keating
Special to The Times
Keating, Sept. 25.—A busy and pleasant evening was spent by the members of the South Saanich Young People's Society at the second meeting for the month of September, held in the church parlor on Wednesday evening. The meeting was conducted by the president, Miss Christine MacNab. An excellent report from the meeting of the Young People's Council in Victoria was read by the delegate, Miss Iola Lawrie. Upon an invitation from the council it was decided that the local Young People's Club provide an evening's entertainment for the inmates of the Aged Men's and Women's Homes in Victoria, if possible, to take place on the evenings of November 20 and 21. Misses I. Lawrie, A. Heyer and Rev. Mr. Lees were appointed to arrange the programme.

The date for the annual rally service of the Young People's Clubs of the United Church on the island was announced for September 30 in the First United Church in Victoria, commencing at 7.45 p.m. The South Saanich Club will attend again this year, and all who will be able to go are asked to meet at the church at 7 o'clock on the evening, when transportation will be in charge of A. Hafer.

A previously appointed committee announced that a handsome ever-sharp pencil had been purchased and will be sent to George Somerville, a former energetic worker in the club and church, and who has recently left the district, as a token of remembrance. Referees were selected from the members of the South Saanich Women's Institute and their husbands gave Mrs. McKenzie a surprise birthday party. The early part of the evening was spent in progressive five hundred, the prize winners being Mrs. H. Lawrie and A. Sutherland. Music and singing was enjoyed, and a hearty supper served. Mrs. W. D. Mitchell, president of the institute, in a congratulatory speech, presented Mrs. McKenzie with a handsome leather pouch handbag with engraved initials as a token of appreciation and esteem from her fellow members of the institute. Mrs. McKenzie responded fittingly. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nimmo, Mrs. H. Lawrie, Mrs. F. Young, Mrs. Hafer, Mrs. Sherring, Mrs. Dorman, Miss M. McKenzie, Miss E. Nimmo, Mrs. W. D. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. H. Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lawrie, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Carmichael and M. Carmichael.

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Saskatoon, Sept. 25.—Pound guilty of four charges of false pretences and two of counselling breach of trust in connection with the promotion of the Wheat Belt Packing Company Limited in Saskatoon, John H. Reid, one of the promoters, was sentenced yesterday to two and one-half years' imprisonment. The charge arose out of the use made by promoters of the funds from subscribers for the venture. Two men, one a local barrister and another a stock salesman, have already served jail sentences in connection with the promotion.

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ALL FRENCH GIRLS NOT DOLED UP IN SILK AND ERMINE

Allene Discovers That Most of Them Are Frugal and Wear Cotton

But High Heels Are Invariably the Rule; Mourning Readily Donned

By ALLENE SUMNER
Paris, Sept. 25.—"Are the French women so beautifully dressed as we have always heard?" So I asked in no less than three letters in my morning mail.

This public answer is respectfully submitted. It all depends. Depends on where you sit and where you look. On the downtown streets, along the lovely Champs Elysees, at the races, strolling down the Rue de la Paix, one sees the most gorgeous feminine things the world can hold—silk, vicuna, things in gracefully short skirts, high heels on shoes of reptile, brocade, or metal cloth, and earrings and necklets and anklets of jade and gold tinkling in the breeze.

Never is one of these fashion plates without her boutonniere of a fresh flower pressed near her left shoulder. The flower is wound in gold or silver foil. It is generally a fragile petal orchid; sometimes a cluster of nasturtiums, gay poppies, or a yellow or pink rose.

In the brilliant boxes of the opera or the Folies Bergere one again sees gleaming jewels and white shoulders wrapped in ermine-trimmed broadcloth mantles, worth a fortune.

But the French woman, as one sees her in the masses, cannot hold a candle to the other girl and woman in general. The proverbial thrift of France gave her womanhood in cotton hose while their bank books grow fat and juicy.

Cotton hose are much more commonly seen than silk on trains and on those streets which are not the recognized fashionable.

But low heels never. No matter how cheap the hose, high-heeled shoes are with them—generally. But one sees, too, any number of women slouching about in plain bedroom slippers of blue and red felt, alternating with the high heels which torture them.

In the cathedrals a modish frock or coat or a gay hat is a rarity. Clothes of black in the form of old, shabby, slightly out-of-date suits blacken the cloisters.

Black is the French woman's color—that of the woman of fashion and of the thrifty woman who puts her husband's money in the bank. Mourning is worn at the slightest excuse—of husband's third cousin's niece, for dog or bird, for step-niece and grandfather's sister-in-law thrice removed.

The thrifty French woman goes to market. One day we rose with the sun to visit a sunrise market. Here came hundreds of women to get the largest, freshest berries, the plump-est peas.

You housewives might be interested in the prices. Strawberries as big as plums or small peaches, sold for about 5 cents a quart. Gorgeous black and red cherries, about 3 cents a quart; good roasts of beef, a dime; lettuce, 2 cents a head; butter, 10 cents a pound.

Orient is Market For Canada Wheat

Calgary, Sept. 25.—That there was every prospect of a gradual increase in wheat consumption in Japan and in wheat imports from Canada, but that the increase would not be of a startling character, was the opinion of George McIvor, Western sales agent of the Canadian Co-operative Wheat Producers Limited, who arrived back in Calgary on Friday from the Far East where he had accompanied H. W. Wood, chairman of the board of trustees of the Alberta wheat pool up to the time that the latter had left for Australia.

In China he had no doubt there would be a big market for Canadian wheat provided the troubles there were settled to some extent, but even as it was he believed that country would take a fair quantity of Canadian wheat.

A jolly evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. McKenzie, East Saanich Road, on Wednesday when the members of the South Saanich Women's Institute and their husbands gave Mrs. McKenzie a surprise birthday party. The early part of the evening was spent in progressive five hundred, the prize winners being Mrs. H. Lawrie and A. Sutherland. Music and singing was enjoyed, and a hearty supper served. Mrs. W. D. Mitchell, president of the institute, in a congratulatory speech, presented Mrs. McKenzie with a handsome leather pouch handbag with engraved initials as a token of appreciation and esteem from her fellow members of the institute. Mrs. McKenzie responded fittingly. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nimmo, Mrs. H. Lawrie, Mrs. F. Young, Mrs. Hafer, Mrs. Sherring, Mrs. Dorman, Miss M. McKenzie, Miss E. Nimmo, Mrs. W. D. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. H. Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Lawrie, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Carmichael and M. Carmichael.

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T. L. Church Wants New Conservative Leader Appointed

Toronto, Sept. 25.—A demand for a national convention of Conservatives to reorganize, adopt a stable platform featuring a tariff issue, and to find leaders to lead the party "out of the wilderness," and an intimation that such a convention would be called at any date, featured a meeting last night of the Brockton and Dovercourt Conservative Association here.

The cry for a convention was raised chiefly by T. L. Church, M.P.Elect. Mr. Church was emphatic in his declaration that the Conservatives had only themselves to blame for their defeat in the recent general election.

"We never played our trump card—protection. New leaders will rise to lead us out of the wilderness," he said.

Appears Every Spring

By AUSTIN H. CLARK
Throughout the Pacific Islands the Spring season is recognized as the time of the appearance of this creature, and wherever it occurs the season and even the months are named for it.

It would seem, therefore, to be a creature of importance. So it is; it is none other than the palolo. The



The Palolo

palolo is a kind of sea-worm which when fully grown averages about 16 inches in length and is sharply divided into a thick forward part measuring about one-quarter of its length and a slender posterior part.

In the slender hinder part the eggs are formed, and on or near the day of the last quarter of the moon in October and November, which is Spring time in the regions where it lives, it wriggles backward in its burrow in the coral rock or similar surface and breaks off the long hinder end, which rises to the surface and swims about, finally bursting and scattering the eggs.

These swarming worm-ends are considered a great delicacy by the natives and are gathered in great quantities. In Samoa and in Fiji this swarming is well known, and has

been carefully studied. The same or a similar worm occurs in the same way at other places, in the Gilbert and Banks islands, in the New Hebrides, on the east coast of New Ireland, and at Ambonga.

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Hog and Stockmen of Saskatchewan Enter Pool Game

Regina, Sept. 25.—An agreement by which the Saskatchewan hog pool and the Saskatchewan livestock pool united has been completed. Officials announce that the livestock pool is now half way toward its objective of contracts covering 1,000 thousand carloads a year, and it hoped to have the pool in operation by the beginning of the year. To enable the pool to acquire handling and processing facilities. The livestock pool contract has been revised to make provision for deductions not exceeding two per cent of gross receipts from the sale of livestock.

Meet in Winnipeg

Winnipeg, Sept. 25.—The House of Bishops of the General Synod of the Anglican Church of Canada is in session here to-day. Three archbishops and twenty-one bishops are in attendance, this being the second day of a two-day gathering. The meeting is being held entirely in

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China's Future Puzzles Chinese as Well as Foreigners

Eminent Art Photographer, Who Knows Country and Leaders Intimately, Believes Intervention Most Probable

Matzene is a name known in many of the cosmopolitan centres of the earth as well as in Bond Street and on Fifth Avenue, where it stands at the top of the list in the wealth of art photography.

Now it is becoming known in Victoria.

For the last three years, its owner, R. Gordon Matzene, has been covering China. He has now arrived in Victoria, where he is to stay for several months with Steffens-Colmer.

Engaged on both photographic and journalistic work, Mr. Matzene became a familiar figure in Peking, Hankow, Manchuria, Mongolia, Tientsin, Shanghai, as well as in Hongkong and Canton. He knew the late Sun Yat Sen intimately. He has the largest private collection of early Chinese paintings, of which he is very proud and which have been exhibited as loan collections by both the Metropolitan in New York and the British Museum in London. This collection he has been making for the last twenty-two years.

The last three years have not been his first in China, as he has been there off and on for twenty years before. He has also covered in his career, South America, Northern Africa and India. He had a studio in London during the 1908-9 season and one in Cairo just before the war. He has written considerably about China and South America.



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Character painting done by Sandony, the famous Italian artist.

By R. GORDON MATZENE

CHINA is one of the great enigmas of the modern world. What is to be the future of this enormously populated country, with its oldest of all civilizations?

There are two view points. One is that of the aristocrats as presented by Lord Lee; the other by Ex-president Li Yuan Hung. I met and had talks with both these distinguished Chinese leaders.

Lord Lee I knew in England in 1908 when he was Chinese Ambassador to the Court of St. James. His father was Li Hung Chang, who had been ambassador before him and was known as the greatest statesman who ever lived.

Lord Lee is now living in the foreign concession in Shanghai. He is a royalist, and to-day has practically taken his father's place as the grand old aristocrat of China. He is seventy years of age.

When I asked him about the future of China, he said that China is in such a position that she cannot help herself out without foreign powers assisting her strongly. In other words, the foreign powers would have to be the receivers.

The greatest danger to China, Lord Lee asserted, was from Bolshevism. He likened China to a sick human

being, whose weakened condition made him susceptible to all kinds of disease, against which the normally healthy man is proof. These were exactly the words he used.

Bolshevism, Lord Lee said, would be far worse for China than it was for Russia, as Bolshevism in China would break down all the traditions and customs of the Chinese people without which they would be left without any standards of life. But Bolshevism is gaining both in the north and south of China, and without foreign intervention, Providence only knows what is going to happen to China.

Up in the north I knew Li Yuan Hung, who has been president of China for two terms. He was the only president elected by the Chinese people. About two or three years ago he left Peking and removed the seals of China. They were recovered from his wife in Tientsin. When I asked him why he had done that, he replied that in a republic the president has a right to move the capital wherever he wanted, provided he considered it to be in the best interests of the whole country.

I also asked him about the present and future conditions of China. Li said that all of the fighting generals should either be exiled or put in prison and the armies disbanded and put to work in factories. He agreed that the present situation in China was hopeless and would continue to be for many years to come. When I suggested to him that the republic might be too early for China, he disagreed, as naturally he would be expected to do, being the man to whom the imperial forces had surrendered.

Getting away from the Chinese points of view, I may say that in my own opinion, after knowing the country for twenty years and spending the last three years there, is that the situation in China at the present

EX-PRESIDENT LI YUEN HUNG

—Photograph by Matzene of Steffens-Colmer.



LORD LEE

—Photograph by Matzene of Steffens-Colmer.



Matzene and Lord Lee at tea in the conservatory of Lord Lee's home at Shanghai, where Matzene had been invited to bid farewell to the modern aristocrat of China. The Chinese writing on the sides of the picture was done by Lord Lee himself. It says: "This picture was given to my friend, Mr. Gordon Matzene, when he was at my house to dinner in memory of my sixty-eighth birthday."

time is hopeless in every way. I don't see any end to it in years to come, unless the foreign powers can manage to settle the difficulties which seem so complicated, make China elect her president and send 2,500 foreign soldiers to keep the president in office and order in China.

Marshall Wu Pei-Fu, or Marshall Chang Tso-Lin, I believe, it allowed to could govern China, but in my opinion neither will have the opportunity.

In China, if one man becomes too successful or gets too near the top, all of the lesser ones combine to

destroy him, which has been done two or three times in China.

The Bolshevik poison seeps out from Canton in the south and Russia in the north. Bolshevism to my mind is the greatest danger and if success would at this present time utterly destroy the country.

I believe that some great calamity has to happen to China, involving millions of persons, and possibly out of that there may arise a new China. It does not do any good for rich men to send their sons to school in foreign countries. When these sons return to China they are in a few

years as Chinese as before they left. The general cry to-day is China for the Chinese. Any foreign country counting them as friends will be disappointed. After all, why should they love us? Constantly in the last fifty years they have had to give in to all other nations.

A Children's Corner for College Boys and Girls--By Stephen Leacock

Lines From Little Letters Culled From Little Friends of the Days When Cheek Meets Greek

For the insertion of such a column, we are convinced we need offer no apology to our young friends. Even in the cultivated mind of the college graduate—cultivated indeed by the years of diligent rolling, harrowing, planting, and possibly plowing at the hands of his tutors and examiners—it is often found that the wheat of wisdom is not unmixed with the chaff of childishness.

As soon, then, as we had conceived the idea of a Children's Corner, we set about thinking what we could put into it. We decided that the very best thing we could have to begin with would be a lot of letters from our little friends who have graduated, treating of some topic not too exacting on the intellect. So we sent them all a circular which we felt sure would draw; we couched it in the following couching:

"Dear Sir—Please write to the Editor of the Children's Corner and state your personal experience of the value of a college education. Speak freely of yourself, but don't get delirious over it. Limit yourself, if you can, to a thousand words, and never write to us again. Send five dollars with your manuscript, and the Editor promises to make use of it."

OWING MUCH TO TEACHERS

The results obtained from our circular have been eminently satisfactory; indeed, we have received so many bright little letters that we are able to print only a small proportion of them. Here is our first example. It is from "Little Charlie," aged twenty-nine, a graduate with double first class in English and Metaphysics, now doing splendidly in a position of great trust in a sawmill.

"Dear Mr. Editor—I am glad you are asking a lot of college boys to write to you. I think a college training is a great help. I have found English invaluable and use nothing else. I must now close."

The next is similar.

"Dear Mr. Editor—I graduated not long ago and am only twenty-two, but I feel very old. I took Archaeology and Sanskrit. Our course of reading in Sanskrit was the Vishnubudayat, Part one, Book one, Page one. We also scanned the first three lines and examined the skins under the microscope. I don't think anything could have developed my mind quite in the way that Sanskrit and Noah's Archaeology have."

"I owe a lot to my teachers and

mean to pay them back some day. Since I took my degree, I have got a job opening gates at a railway crossing, and am doing well, as I have just the touch required. When I get a little older, I may get a job at a toll-gate. Teddy."

A VICTIM OF THE CLASSICS

So many thanks for your bright little letter, Teddy, and be sure not to let us hear from you from time to time. You forgot your five dollars, careless boy.

Here is a writer who signs himself Rev. Willie Weekshanks, aged thirty:

"Dear Mr. Editor—I think a college education is a very valuable thing, and I wish I had had one instead of taking a degree. I liked my college life so much and I revered all my professors. I used to take exact notes of everything they told me, exactly as I remembered it, a week afterwards. If need be, I could produce my notes before a . . . (Hush, hush, Willie, please don't talk of anything so painful as producing your notes. Surely, my dear little boy, we have had trouble enough.)"

Here is a letter from an honor graduate in Classics:



"Little Charlie, aged twenty-nine, is now in a position of great trust in a sawmill."

"Dear Mr. Editor—I took Classics. For my part, I think at least certainly on the one hand that a college education, especially indeed

man with a full knowledge of Latin and Greek feels himself a 'pens astorum,' and in the hours of weariness and discouragement can always return to his education as a delightful 'reductio ad absurdum.'"

PUZZING A PUZZLE

But let us pass on to some of the other features of our Children's Corner. We hasten to present a Puzzle Competition. It is constructed on the very latest models. The puzzles are indeed somewhat difficult and elaborate, but we confidently invite all college children, both graduate and undergraduate, to try them. Come on, then, here is our first. It is called THE BURIED WORD:

NOTSOB

There! try and guess it! The letters of the above word, if spelt backwards, will produce the name of an American city. Sit down now and work at it; if you don't get the solution at once, keep at it. To any graduate or undergraduate sending a correct solution, accompanied by five dollars, we will forward a copy of Hansard.

Our second puzzle. This is for some of our little mathematical friends. It is called a double acrostic:

On inserting a vowel in place of the above *, the word will become the same word that was the word before the vowel removed was removed. Any one finding the correct solution will forward us three dollars; on the receipt of each three dollars, the competition is declared closed—as far as that competitor is concerned.

Our final puzzle. It consists of a historical prize competition, for which we propose the following:

Name the four Georges, giving reasons, and sending four dollars.

There are so many interesting things that we are most eager to insert in this Children's Corner that we fear the limited space at our disposal will not allow us to treat them all. In the interest, however, of our fairer readers, we cannot well refrain from introducing one or two extracts from our new "College Girls' Cookery Book."

1. RECIPE FOR LATIN PASTE

Take one pound of Adley's Grammar, a little fluent extract of Virgil, some strong stems and roots. Grind well and soak. Let the mixture stand till it forms into a thick paste which may be used for all kinds of Latin composition. It will be found an agreeable relish in quotations and does well for public speeches if mixed with a little ginger. The paste is admirably suited for quotations in after-dinner speaking, if well soaked in alcohol.

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2. RECIPE FOR PRESERVED LECTURES (Creme de Lecture)

First take a lecture. Then boil it down and remove the froth and gas from it by constant stirring. Skim it, strain it through a wet towel, and serve hot or cold according to the taste of the examiner.

3. HOW TO MAKE HASH OF AN EXAM. PAPER (Papier Mache)

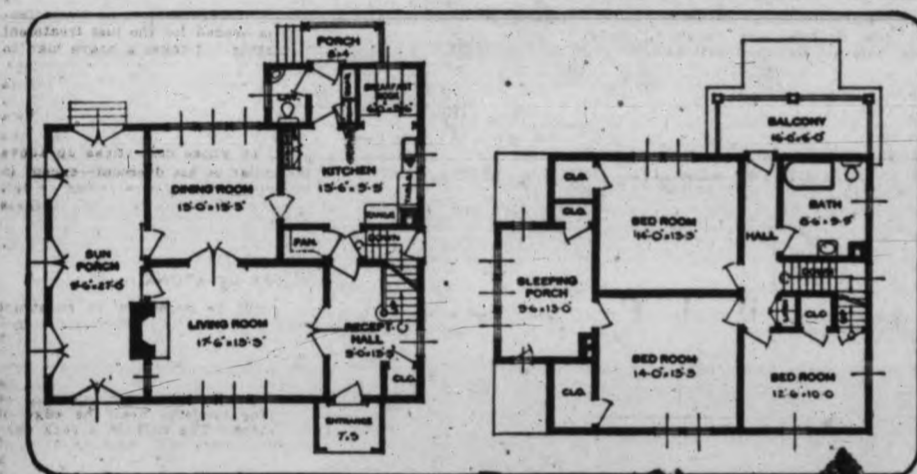
Take a thorough smattering of the subject. Mix it completely in your mind. Spread it very thinly on paper and serve lukewarm. Try to avoid roasting.

All who desire may write to us for a few extracts from our new "Elementary Taxidermy for Students, or How to Stuff Examiners," which we are certain would have made a pleasant feature of our Children's Corner; also, a few lines from our "Carpentry for College Boys; or How to Make German Brackets."

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NEXT WEEK—"My Unknown Friend."

A Small House That Looks Big

"The Lawrence" Is Designed to Please Families of Moderate Income, Since Every Dollar Gives Full Return in Appearances



Here is a house that looks larger than it really is—and that, for the man of moderate means, is an important item.

Its foundation measures only 28 by 28 feet. Yet the impression the house gives is one of spaciousness.

The long, slanting line of the roof, set off by the side gable, is the cause. And the building is carefully designed so that an exceptional amount of living space is provided. There are no wasted corners.

Downstairs there is a reception hall, a long living room set off by a fire place, an ample dining-room and a good sized kitchen, with breakfast nook and washroom adjoining. The size of the porch, which runs the full depth of the house, is worth noting.



On the second floor the arrangement is no less happy. Three bedrooms, two of them of exceptional size, open on the hall, which also

gives access to a small balcony. In addition there is a commodious sleeping porch, which can be reached from two of the bedrooms.

NEXT!



This is the building of the future, according to Architect Raymond Hood, shown below. From 40 to 120 stories will be common. The great height will be possible, he says, by means of terra cotta and similar light weight material.

Modern Industry Knows Importance of First Aid

By DR. MORRIS FISHEIN
Editor Journal of the American Medical Association and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

Since the World War, increasing attention has been given by the Red Cross, by public health educators and by industries to the training of a considerable number of persons in the elements of first-aid.

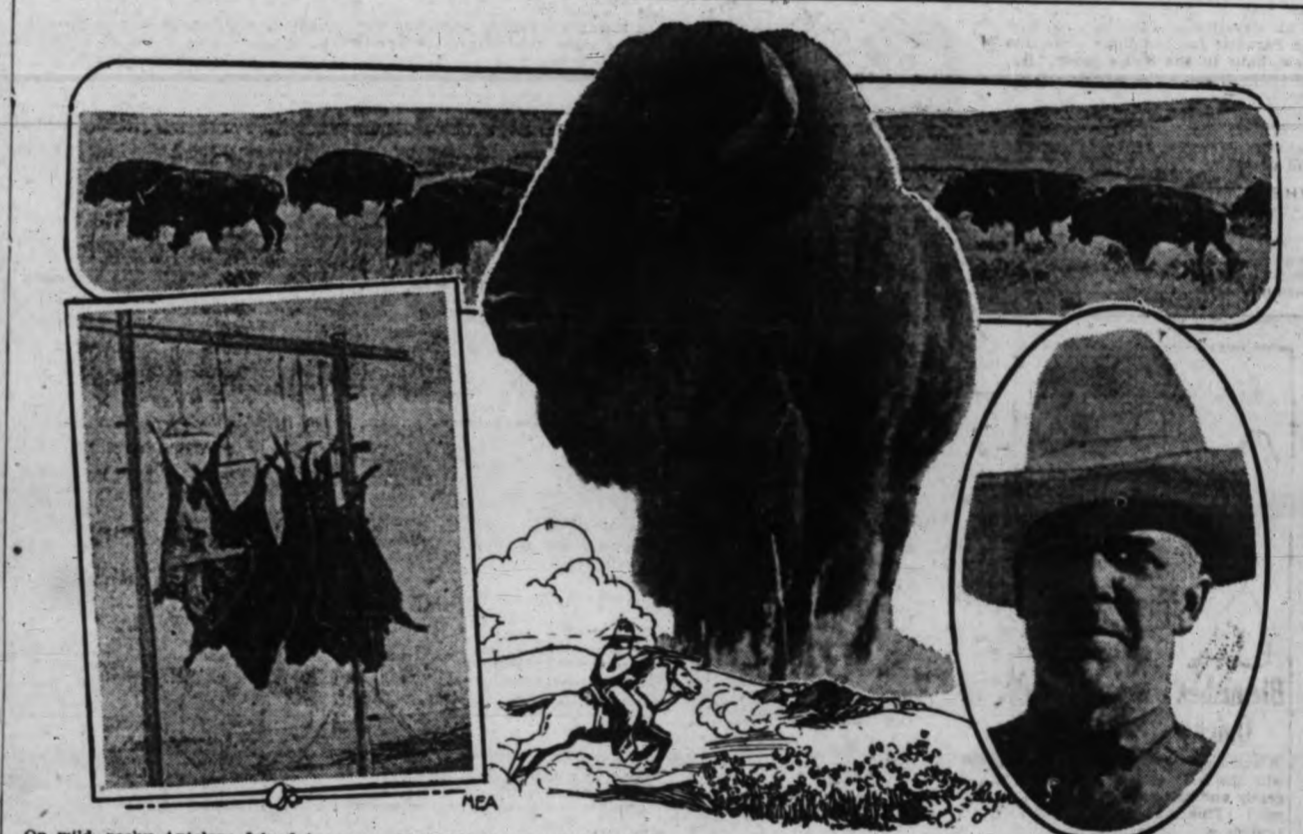
Such work is particularly important in industries that spread over much territory; for example, in mines, where an employee may be seriously injured at a point far removed from medical assistance.

Many industrial plants now have regular classes for instruction in first-aid methods, under the direction of the plant physicians or instructors provided by the Red Cross. Interest in the work is stimulated by the holding of competitive first-aid exhibitions, and by the advancement of employees showing special aptitude for the work to positions as safety engineer or social worker in the industry.

METHODS SIMPLE

The conditions which occur most frequently in industrial work and which require prompt first-aid, properly carried out, are hemorrhage as a result of any cutting or mutilat-

Again They Will Provide Thrills for the Hunter



On wild, rocky Antelope Island in the southern part of Great Salt Lake a herd of 350 buffaloes roams in careless freedom. They are untamed and fearless, living just as their forebears did centuries ago—the last herd of truly wild buffaloes in America.

But the sportsmen have marked them for slaughter. Early in November there will begin a great buffalo hunt, probably the last of its kind that the country will ever see. Hunters with long-range rifles will ride over the 33,000 acres of uncultivated crags, firing at every buffalo they see. The hunt will end only when all but a scant twenty of the original 350 are left alive.

BUILD UP A NEW HERD

These twenty will be allowed to go unmolested. In the course of time it is hoped that they will again build up the herd to its former size.

A century ago, it is believed, there

were 20,000,000 buffaloes in the United States. But sportsmen killed them by the thousands, and in 1899 it was estimated that there were less than a thousand of them left. The people became alarmed at the approaching extinction of these wild creatures and protective measures were adopted. Laboriously captive herds were increased, and now it is believed there are approximately 8,000 buffaloes alive, nearly all captives.

The buffaloes on this island in Great Salt Lake are owned by A. H. Leonard of Fort Pierre, S.D., who bought them from the Buffalo Island Company last Spring. They had all grown up on the island unmolested and free, and are as wild as any of the buffaloes that roamed the Western plains before the white men came.

Leonard planned to remove them to his ranch in South Dakota. But they were too wild to be herded as tame buffaloes are herded. It was im-

possible. So he decided on the great buffalo hunt, to which he has invited the country's most famous hunters—men who have shot lions and tigers in India and Africa but who had never dreamed that they would have the privilege of hunting wild American buffaloes.

The hunting will be done on horseback, and will require skilled riding and clever marksmanship. No horseman will be able to ride casually alongside a bull and shoot it down. He must stalk it and depend on long shots. The island is twenty miles long and has very little level ground. These buffaloes incidentally, were the ones that were photographed in the moving picture, "The Covered Wagon." Getting them within range of the camera was a difficult and perilous task, and one photographer saw his camera trampled under foot by a bellowing herd, while he barely escaped with his life.

Many people in Utah are protesting against the hunt, claiming it is unwarranted cruelty to the animals that roamed the plains by the millions fifty years ago.

THEIR DAYS ARE NUMBERED

For a number of years, they have roamed in perfect freedom, constituting an interesting relic of the vanished West. But their days are numbered. The sportsmen are killing their rifles. The invitations are out. It will be a wonderful hunt. More than 300 buffaloes will be shot down. There will be tanned buffalo hides and thick buffalo steaks for the hunters, not to mention the thrill of killing animals that ordinarily are not to be hunted. And there will be scores of skeletons left to bleach on the wind-swept isolated island, and twenty of the original 350 animals will roam among them, left to build up the herd again—perhaps for another hunt.

Author, Director, Actor—All Are Von Stroheim

By JACK JUNGMEYER

Hollywood, Sept. 4.—There are three Erich von Stroheims, all compactly embodied in the bronzed, shaven-headed, cynical-minded screen realist whom a poll of the foremost critics has just placed at the head of the best film directors.

The three Erichs never quite merge—Stroheim, the writer of drama, Stroheim, the actor, and Stroheim, the director. Often they are positively at war with one another.

When Stroheim the writer secludes himself to prepare a script, the other two of him are apt to shrug an uncomplimentary shoulder, or even to kick out a derisive tongue. It's no easy task for the scrivener to pass muster with the actor, or for these two to convince the director, as they have had to do in the case of "Greed," "The Merry Widow," and "The Wedding March," which is now in production.

CONSTANT REHEARSAL

No man in films agonizes so over his product as this super-critical Erich. Stroheim the actor rehearses every scene his writing self presents, rehearsing it for dramatic worth, for "timing," for the feel of it.

If it doesn't meet his rigid require-

ments it's discarded ruthlessly. And this rehearsing is done, as a few of his intimates relate, with all the fervor that goes into the final product.

In "The Merry Widow," 2,800 scenes were thus given the triple test before the script was put to camera for its ten-reel length. Stroheim always hides out for his pre-production agony. In preparing "The Wedding March," in which he returns to the screen as actor, under his own direction, he spent many weeks prowling along a lonely California beach, courting the screen muse. The idea wouldn't crystallize. So he forsook the beach for the mountains.

"Von" is a geographical minded. Place has a great influence upon his ideas. And high peaks are particularly stimulating.

HE GOT IT

It took him almost two days to reach a solitary peak after he had deserted the beach. Then when near the top, sweetly with the climb, he yelled to his sole companion, "I've got it!" Perched upon the crags like an eagle he brooded the drama. Stroheim's mind is a night-blooming one. Occasionally, when pressed for time, he attempts to write in the



Composite Photograph of the Three Erichs von Stroheim

daytime, but invariably he tears up such day product when the shades of night fall. In the dark hours come his hunches, his faculty, and the approval of his judgment.

After the film is completed, Stroheim the playwright gets back at his other two critical selves. "Terrible!" is his usual comment to the other selves, uttered with a sort of thumb-to-nose mockery which comports precisely with his pungent individuality and bespeaks his never requited passion for perfection.

In Realms of Fire and Ice

Entering Paradise Valley; Alpine Slopes and Their Plants; Where the Timber Ends; Between the Glaciers; a Natural Monument

By ROBERT CONNELL

From the bridge across the Nisqually, below the glacier's snout, we look away to the right and see the first real mountain grade running straight along the almost perpendicular mountain-side. At its upper end we find a sharp corner, and the signs lead us to understand that while the grades are still light the conditions require more stringent care. We have, in fact, entered upon the tortuous road which winds to and fro along the valley of the Paradise River. Contrary to custom the river in this case takes its name from the valley. Forty years ago the first women visited the open tracts about the river's upper course, and the story is that they cried: "What a paradise, a real paradise is this!" Such names have a tendency to get furnished by their attachment to scenery, scenes and places, but I confess to my sympathy with this particular application. Increasingly as we ascend the air gets clearer, the landscape freshens, the trees become more quaintly beautiful, the streams become more vivacious, the lakes more mirror-like, and although the glory of blossoms is past, the unusual greens of olive and blue tints give an other-worldly aspect to hill and vale. The trees of the lowlands are left behind, and in their place we have the Noble and Subalpine firs, the Mountain Hemlock, and the Alaska Cedar. Patches of open meadow appear with little pools of calm, reflecting water. Cliffs of volcanic rock cause sudden twists in the road, reminding us, though on so much larger scale is everything, of the Sooke road as it approaches Sooke Basin from the north. Backwards and forwards the road doubles, at every turn revealing new beauties. We pass the fine Narada Falls where the Paradise River comes foaming down over a sheer drop of 150 feet. Its name is not a native one, although it might be taken for one. It was bestowed by a party of theosophists some years since. Of East Indian origin, it means, I understand, "uncontaminated." The falls are a little over half way to Paradise Inn, and are at an elevation of 4,572 feet. At last the Paradise Inn building, in full view, built in the Swiss mode. But infinitely finer is the setting of the park-line scene, with Mount Rainier rising above to the north, and to the south the serrated ridge of the Tatoosh Range with its noble peak and pinnacles.

WHERE THE BLUEBERRY GROWS

Parking our cars in the fine public camp grounds, we hastily pocket a simple lunch and start out on our reconnaissance of the mountain



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YOUNG WOMEN SUFFER MOST

These Two Found Relief by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.—"I have been teaching for three years, and at the end of the year I always feel tired and have no appetite. I was a very sick each month, too, having pains in my back until sometimes I was obliged to stop working. A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I heard many women telling how good it was so I thought it would help me. And it did. Now I take six bottles every year and recommend it to all my friends."—DONALD FANTHEUX, Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.

"Unable to Work." Canning, Nova Scotia.—"I had irregular periods and great suffering at those times, the pains causing vomiting and fainting. I was teaching school and often for some hours I would be unable to attend to my work. Through an advertisement in the paper I knew of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has been of great benefit to me, the troubles being completely relieved."—LAURA J. EATON, Canning, King's County, Nova Scotia.

Vesuvius, for the remnants near the summit, like the huge mass of Gibraltar on the right hand side as one looks up from Paradise Valley, show the planes of the bedding directed to a point well above the present top of the mountain. Dr. Landes says that there are "four distinct craters distinguishable" on the summit, the result of either explosion or rupture by outbreathing lava. On these fruits of internal heat and pressure lie the snow-fields and glaciers, and from them are derived these boulders and pebbles of the stream-bed we are ascending.

AMONG THE HEATHER

The slopes above us are covered thickly with one of the heaths. Although its flowering is over the low, dense masses of foliage are still green, and the plants are very clean, fresh, olive-green. But here is a touch of color, a spray of bright crimson bells, a late lingerer from the period of full bloom. Phyllodoce empetrifolia, the "false heather" of Henry's Flora, is closely related to Menziesia polifolia, the Irish Menziesia grown in gardens and to M. ferruginea or False Azalea. It is the common red heather of our mountains found on Mt. Arrowsmith, for example. Associated with it is the White Heath, Cassiope, or Kowan. The plants are about five feet in height, the leaves resemble those of our garden trees, but the fruit-branched are not so flattened and the berries, as we saw them, were of a crimson, rather than a scarlet tint. The open grassy spaces near the inn are thickly strewn with the Western Anemone, not in flower, but bearing wonderful heads of silky seeds, which look like the caps of Don Cossacks. Here, too, we see pink and purple asters, Michaelmas daisies, like a species found at Colwood, and a very pretty spike of pure white flowers. A few Mountain Dandelions with peculiarly narrow leaves occur here and there. Leaving the path, which runs along the crest of a ridge, we descend into the valley below, the better to see the plants we have seen here, or at least to see them in a more natural setting. A man on the opposite slope, who is evidently engaged in gathering something. We scent a possible botanist or entomologist, and forthwith make our way towards him. As we do so we see on another path high above the green uniform of a forest ranger on his rounds, evidence of the excellent oversight of the park. It is neither botanist nor entomologist that we find but a gatherer of huckleberries, or "blueberries." The hillside is covered with the lovely bushes of the Vaccinium, some of which are blue, some red. It was the first, but not the last, time that day we enjoyed the delicious berries, large as peas and luscious as grapes. Rising to the second path we descended into another valley in which lies the bed of a small stream. Here we find one of the few flowers still blooming, Lewis's Mimulus, a tall handsome "monkey-flower" plant with crimson-purple corolla. The plants are about eighteen inches high and bushy in form. Here, too, we come upon great numbers of boulders from the mountain as well as from ledges in the hillsides, their colors varying from a grey through pink and red to black.

A NATURAL MONUMENT

But it is impossible to do justice to the wealth of flowering plants on the high bleak wind-swept ridge where we now find ourselves with glaciers and snowfields on every hand. Trees are gone, only the dwarf juniper of the mountains, Juniperus communis, and its little cousin, Juniperus nana, and even its limit is near. Our way now lies along a ridge of basalt which has broken down by plate cleavage into flat flagstone-like fragments. Between these, plants have a somewhat precarious foothold, yet it is astonishing how many persist. We thread our way in and out among the larger masses and eventually reach the summit of McClure Rock at an altitude of 7,384 feet. This is a tragic story about this massive headland. On the night of July 27, 1897, a party of scientific explorers was descending from the summit by moonlight. Among them and in charge of the barometric observations and carrying the barometer, an instrument of historic association with other great Western peaks, was Edgar McClure, Professor of Chemistry in the University of Oregon. He was a young man filled with enthusiasm for the cause of science. Standing at the edge of the rock that bears his name and looking down into the darkness below, he cried to the others of the party: "Don't come down here; it's too steep." They thought he was joking. The darkness swallowed him up, and later his body was found on the rocks below. A cairn stands upon the rock near by, built by the stones contributed by visitors to the place, a memorial to their own prowess rather than to the tragedy of the mountain. Of him the Rock is memorial enough. From it the eye passes upward along the track of the mountain-climbers past the great cliffs of Gibraltar, so dwarfed by distance, to the snowy summit 7,616 feet above us. Southward the eye looks across Paradise Valley to the violet peaks of the Tatoosh Range, and southwest down the wonderful vista that fades away beyond the great hills into the plains of the Puget Sound district. Too much smoke obscures the far distance but there is more than enough to satisfy the appetite for scenery of the mountain type, of that type which Ruskin refers when he speaks of

"these great cathedrals of the earth, with their gates of rock, pavements of cloud, choirs of stream and stone, altars of snow, and vaults of purple traversed by the continual stars."

BY A MOUNTAIN RILL

Returning we slightly altered our course, following the base of a low cliff rich in plants luxuriating in its protected recesses. Over and around the rocks we went and across the scaly surface of volcanic ash. Eventually in seeking for fresh scenes we came upon a talus-slope verdant with vegetation and moistened with little streams, while through it had cut its way a rill of merry water. The course of the rill was marked by Lewis's Mimulus, like a faint royal line. Above below a dripping cliff the little Alpine Mimulus flourished exceedingly with asters and anemones. Here was the tall Green Mellebore of the Goldstream district, a common plant in all wet places; and here, too, Senecio jacobina, the "false heather" of Henry's Flora, is closely related to Menziesia polifolia, the Irish Menziesia grown in gardens and to M. ferruginea or False Azalea. It is the common red heather of our mountains found on Mt. Arrowsmith, for example. Associated with it is the White Heath, Cassiope, or Kowan. The plants are about five feet in height, the leaves resemble those of our garden trees, but the fruit-branched are not so flattened and the berries, as we saw them, were of a crimson, rather than a scarlet tint. The open grassy spaces near the inn are thickly strewn with the Western Anemone, not in flower, but bearing wonderful heads of silky seeds, which look like the caps of Don Cossacks. Here, too, we see pink and purple asters, Michaelmas daisies, like a species found at Colwood, and a very pretty spike of pure white flowers. A few Mountain Dandelions with peculiarly narrow leaves occur here and there. Leaving the path, which runs along the crest of a ridge, we descend into the valley below, the better to see the plants we have seen here, or at least to see them in a more natural setting. A man on the opposite slope, who is evidently engaged in gathering something. We scent a possible botanist or entomologist, and forthwith make our way towards him. As we do so we see on another path high above the green uniform of a forest ranger on his rounds, evidence of the excellent oversight of the park. It is neither botanist nor entomologist that we find but a gatherer of huckleberries, or "blueberries." The hillside is covered with the lovely bushes of the Vaccinium, some of which are blue, some red. It was the first, but not the last, time that day we enjoyed the delicious berries, large as peas and luscious as grapes. Rising to the second path we descended into another valley in which lies the bed of a small stream. Here we find one of the few flowers still blooming, Lewis's Mimulus, a tall handsome "monkey-flower" plant with crimson-purple corolla. The plants are about eighteen inches high and bushy in form. Here, too, we come upon great numbers of boulders from the mountain as well as from ledges in the hillsides, their colors varying from a grey through pink and red to black.

Sabatini's Novel of Italian Wars

Famous Italian Romancer's Latest Story, "Bellarion the Fortunate," Said to Be Equal to Scott's "Ivanhoe"; Hero Planned Battles But Was Too Nice to Fight

By PROF. W. T. ALLISON

Caruso, Mussolini, Valentino, Sabatini—these are musical names blown by the bugles of fame across the world. In song, in politics, in moving pictures, and in fiction, these Italians have become known to millions and all four achieved world-wide distinction at an early age. From all accounts the most amiable of these celebrities is Rafael Sabatini, who has been reared, not along the Tiber or the Arno, where the hot blood is always stirring, but under grey skies on the tranquil banks of the Thames. And, with the possible exception of that of Mussolini, the name of Sabatini promises to live longest of the meteoric four. This is due to the fact that he is building a monument out of literature, which, if the quality is there, is more lasting than brass. He began his career as a maker of fiction at a time when the historical novel was out of vogue and, almost single-handed, he has made it popular once more. With immense industry he has made himself at home in various epochs, and has evolved stories rich in incident and character portrayal. With many successes to his credit, he is a veteran romancer, but never has he shown greater skill or founded his narrative upon more patient historical research than in his new novel, "Bellarion the Fortunate" (McClelland and Stewart, Toronto).

SCENE LAID IN FIFTEENTH CENTURY

The traveler in Italy to-day marvels at the fact that there are so many hill towns. To the reader of history this is a reminder of the days of the incessant struggles between Guelph and Ghibellines, when Italy was torn by internecine strife, and the small community clustered about the castle set on a hill. And it is this period, in the opening years of the fifteenth century, that Sabatini has chosen for his most ambitious historical novel. He has studied diligently the complicated story of the frequent conflicts of Milan with neighbor cities and states, has thumbed old Italian chronicles describing foray and battle and siege, has raked over the names of the Swiss, German, Gascon, and Burgundian mercenaries of the period, condotti, they were called in Italy, pored over old treatises on military strategy, read up intrigues of the courts, and mastered all those matters of detail, furnishing of castles, costumes of lords and ladies, armor of captains and common soldiers, and every phase of city and country life in the fifteenth century. Thoughtless reader will pass lightly over this wealth of color, as he is borne along on the swift tide of the story, but no one should take it as a matter of course, for beneath the glittering surface of the narrative there is a solid foundation of research, and of what to most of us would be insufferably dull books on a complex period. Sabatini's knowledge of Italian has made this spade work easier than it would be for us, but even so he must have toiled with noble devotion to his art.

AUTHOR AVOIDS DESCRIPTION

But whatever work lies behind this huge romance of nearly five hundred pages, it has been artfully concealed. As I have already indicated, it does not interfere with the business of the story. Sabatini has resisted the temptation to which Sir Walter Scott and so many historical novelists have too often succumbed. He does not parade his antiquarian learning; he does not smother the story with description. The only pages in his novel in which he is long-winded are the first two; once we have passed beyond the wayward youth of Bellarion upon his journey into the big, outside world of romance where his first adventure lands him at the feet of Valeria, Princess of Montferrat, and into a deep Italian plot which involves him in a murder and almost costs him his life. And from this first complication, so abundant in Sabatini in the invention of incident and the development of new situations, as he

Our pit-led us to the reservoir of the Inn and so we dropped down gradually to the Camp. We had been gone over eight hours, and with the exception of the short break for lunch we had been steadily at work with limbs and senses and observational powers. During the afternoon a suspicious look had been creeping over the sky, but we saw the Great Mountain until dusk settled. The Camp was busy with newcomers, fires and evening meals were everywhere. We had scarcely more than entered our blankets when rain began to drop, and morning broke with the landscape in a drenching downpour. We snatched a hasty and scanty meal and fled inconspicuously to lower levels where at least the rain might possibly be lighter. But through the sheets of gray vapour that so pitilessly condensed upon us we took away memories of which not least was that of those soft carpets of green amid the lilac, pink, red, black, of the rocks; their brilliancy of bloom left to the imagination but their cool refreshing green, most delightful of experiences to eyes that have looked long on drought. The hand of Nature which has carved by tools of water and ice the great conifers to present the mad desire for perfection in a dull thing, year by year with company of joyful flowers, and with the "mind's eye" at least we saw that garment of many colors upon the scarred sides of Tacoma.

Bond Street is supposed to be the chosen haunt of the well-dressed man. Well, I have had perhaps exceptional opportunities of inspecting the pavements of Bond Street on fine mornings in Spring and Autumn, when the latest fashions in suits appear on the most perfect male bodies in the civilized world. I have often issued out into Bond Street for the express purpose of regarding those suits on those bodies. And they made a very pleasing spectacle, and they engendered in myself the mad desire for perfection in dress, and I agreed that the continental reputation of the same was well deserved.

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DISCUSSES

Clothes and the Man

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A continental reputation is something, and both the English male creature and the English male creature's clothes have an enormous prestige on the Continent. At his physical best the Englishman is held to be without a rival in form, carriage, and distinction, and though some Scandinavians might well dispute his pre-eminence in the matter of attire. (I say nothing of his mental qualities, about which the leading continental races have their own views—to which they are doubtless entitled.)

For men's clothes London is to masculine Europe what Paris is to feminine Europe. To be dressed in London is the ambition of youthful dandies from Calais to Bucharest, and the ambition persists despite the effect of the singular attire which hundreds of thousands of Englishmen choose to display every Summer in continental capitals.

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One reason for the lack of public interest in men's attire is of course the undeniable fact that men dislike to do or be anything characteristically feminine. Women will imitate men, but men will not imitate women. Hence men keep quiet about their clothes. The dandies, or the merely well-dressed, among them, will put themselves to an immense amount of trouble and expense over clothes, and then make their appearance with a delicately casual air, as though nothing on earth had happened. Save in the strictest secrecy they will never discuss their raiment. They are content with a silent appreciation of their wonderful achievements.

But there is another reason for the lack of public interest in men's attire. Not merely do we rightly despise the fop, the man who lives for clothes—but we have a prejudice against the man who shows any sustained interest in his dress. (Such prejudice may be a remnant of Puritanism—I believe it is.) And we rather admire the man who will not go to the tailor's until he is dragged thither by his wife. With this prejudice and this admiration I have no sympathy, and I hope and think that both are dying out.

I assert that I would sooner see a fop in the street than a man whose suit ought obviously to have been sold or burnt last year but one. The fop has at least achieved something, and is not an eyesore. The scarecrow is an eyesore and has simply left something undone, either from conceit or from sloth. The fop is not without his use in society. He keeps tailors alert. He sets the pace. He may often be an ass, but he is also an idealist, a searcher after perfection, we have more too many searchers after perfection, and an ass engaged in that quest is entitled to some of our esteem. The man who for any reason—affection, idleness, self-esteem—despises clothes and the fashions thereof, argues that fashion is absurd and negligible, and that the sole purpose of clothes is to give a decent and comfortable protection against climatic conditions. This argument cannot possibly be maintained. Fashion is neither absurd nor negligible. It is one of the most powerful influences upon human conduct, an influence which nobody can escape.

Further, the sole purpose of clothes—whatever it once may have

been—is no longer merely to give protection. An important purpose of clothes is to make a pleasing visual impression—partly on oneself, but chiefly on other people. This is unquestionable. Why, therefore, should it not be candidly admitted?

The importance of being well-dressed while not being a dandy, is strongly insisted on in certain professions and callings, and a carefully dressed man in beginning business relations. The first thought of a negligent man seeking a situation is invariably to remedy his negligence, the pity is that sometimes he cannot remedy it.

The negligent man will object that he cannot afford to dress well. Not so. Everyone can afford to dress well on his own place of expenditure. It is a matter not of money, but of interest in the subject. He who is interested in a subject will speedily acquire taste in that subject, and the skill to get the best effect at the lowest cost. Nine out of every ten of us could easily produce a better effect on the eyes of the beholder than we actually do without spending a penny more than we habitually spend.

We are guilty of a number of errors and omissions, the chief of which I will enumerate. First—We won't take trouble. A first-class dressmaker is reported to have said: "I put on the first things that come to hand, and people don't seem to mind." This is the practice of many of us, but it is no way to dress. People do mind.

Second—we forget that dress comprises more than the suit. It is the whole. If we put forth in a suit of clothes and nothing else he would make a sensation which might seriously incommode him. There is no sense in procuring a good suit of clothes unless all the rest of the attire from hat to heels harmonizes with it, not merely in color, but in style and excellence. Clumsy boots will make the finest suit look ridiculous. How often one has the misfortune to see a man who has brains and taste in matching shirt, necktie, and socks with his suit, but whose exposed handkerchief produces on our teeth the effect of scratching a coin on a slate. Such men ought to be fined forty shillings or go to prison.

Third—We place ourselves like dolls on the hands of our tailors or other furnishers. We let them work their will upon us. We accept subserviently their often ill-founded assertions that everything is all right. But tailors are human, and want overseeing. The price of smartness is eternal vigilance.

Fourth—Having got our clothes, we do not take care of them. We treat them like stepchildren. Of course courage as well as true affection is needed for the just treatment of clothes. It takes a brave man to press his trousers on a frosty night.

Fifth—we do not put our clothes on properly. I defy you to walk 100 yards along the Strand or Fifth Avenue without encountering the collar of whose coat sticks up above the collar of his overcoat—except in Summer, when his overcoat is left lying huddled in the wrong creases at home.

STEPS OF STONE

It will be necessary to construct steps of stones to reach the upper part of the rockery. These steps should be built of local stone, if they were natural stones and not a formal stairway. This effect can be helped by the proper planting of creeping subjects, such as ivy, on the steps. The path in a rock garden may very well take the form of a series of stepping stones, which will look much more in keeping than would a formal path.

The margin of the rock garden should be undulating, not straight or symmetrically curved. Here and there should be a low wall of rock, and in other places there should be bays which will add to the effect of the headlands. The whole outline should be of stone, and many evergreen creeping plants may be used as the margin in places, thus effecting a saving in the matter of rock.

THE ROCKERY BORDER

The rockery border is simply a raised border up to, say, three feet in height, with an ancient rock introduced into its construction to make it a suitable home for Alpine plants. It may be said that it is not easy to make an effective rockery border, and to it we would not only add only a few rocks, for if a great deal of rock is used it is apt to degenerate into the "dog's grave" form of rockery, which is as ugly as a scoundrel and a poor place to grow rock plants. Much can be done with the proper use of a very few really large rocks. Pieces of rock weighing from 100 to 200 pounds more than half buried will give an effect that a car load of small stones will never give. One will have to place the rocks, look at them and move them, perhaps half a dozen times before one gets the effect. All this takes time, patience and hard labor, but it is worth it if one wants an effective result. A great deal may be learned by looking at some of the well-constructed rock gardens to be found in the city and then by going carefully to work and taking one's time one will be able to construct a rock border that will not only grow the plants but look well when built and furnished.

We Are Building So Many Gardens This Fall

No previous Autumn has found us so busy with garden construction. Some of the finest gardens in the city are being built under our supervision now and planted from our large collection of Perennials, Rock, Alpine and Rare Plants. They are all artistically different—and they have saved their owners money. Arrangements for garden building can be made at our nurseries on Quadra Street, just south of Royal Oak, or at the Post Shop, Government Street. Our new Fall Catalogue will be sent on request.

THE ROCKHOMME GARDENS

North Quadra Street, Just South of Royal Oak Telephone Gordon Head 18R
John Hutchison, F.R.H.S. and Norman Kent, F.R.H.S.
Garden Architects

Things Seen Direct by Scot's Radio Invention

Separated by Brick Walls and Darkness, Times Correspondent in London Sees What Happens in Another Room

Wireless photography—sending pictures across great distances by radio—is old now! Even wireless movies, not yet accomplished, is old compared with the marvelous invention which Milton Bronner, London correspondent, describes here. It is an apparatus that actually sends events by radio, without the intervention of photography.

By MILTON BRONNER

LONDON, Sept. 25.—I've just had a new and rare thrill that few people have had to date.

I have actually seen things by radio!

They were no ordinary pictures snapped by a movie camera and then transmitted by wireless. They were the events themselves, with no pictures intervening, coming to me through distance and brick walls by means of the newest radio instrument invented.

If I hadn't had this personal experience, it would have been hard to believe. I know distant stars, invisible to the eye, can be detected through a telescope. But to see events occur, to see the faces of persons talking to me over the telephone, although they were separated by brick wall and utter darkness, that was almost beyond expectation.

Yet there it was before my eyes.

J. L. Baird, young Scotch inventor, took me into his den, turned out the lights, moved a couple of switches and sent his office boy into a distant room of the house.

BOY'S FACE APPEARS

There was a whirring sound and I saw in front of me flowing crescents of red light, which finally seemed to solidify and form the features of the office boy.

"Stick out your tongue," commanded Baird over the telephone. And I saw the office boy's tongue come out of his picture before me.

"Light a cigarette and smoke it," repeated the inventor.

I saw the boy, with huge relish, puffing away at a gasper!

Mind you, what I saw in another room, actually took place at almost the same moment. There was no snapping of a photograph and then relaying it to me by radio, as photographs are transmitted over the ocean to-day.

HOW IT HAPPENED

What happened was this, as Baird explained to me:

The office boy sat under a powerful array of lights. In front of him was a big wooden wheel, inset with hundreds of lenses.

The wheel was spun at a fast speed. As it whirled about, the lenses acted as eyes and took an infinite number of impressions of the object before them, in this case the office boy.

The light of these impressions was thrown, in fast order, upon an electric cell that's highly sensitive to light rays. This cell varies in intensity with the amount of light thrown on it, and the light varies with the lights and shades of the object before the lenses.

A transmitting set takes the varying current sent out through the cell and sends this over the air by radio.

RECEIVED BY WIRELESS

At the receiving end, there's a screen of ground glass on which the picture of the event that's happening at the same time appears. The varying currents received from the transmitting set, are converted easily into light, just as other currents are converted into sound in ordinary telephony.

And the varying light waves pass through the lenses of another wheel that throws the completed moving picture of the original scene on the screen.

The secret of the entire affair lies in the slowness of the eye. The eye can retain an impression of any object up to one-tenth of a second. And in that short time it has become possible to snap many successive parts of an object through the fast rotating lenses, throw them in the same order on a screen, and make the eye believe it's seeing the entire object in an instant.

And as the object moves, so do the dots of light and shade change with it. Baird is not yet through with his invention, remarkable as it is.

PLANS COLOR TELEVISION

"I showed you pictures in red," he says. "I can also do blue. I have so far been baffled by green."

"Once that is achieved it is a step towards showing any object as it is colored in actual nature."

"The other big problem is to eliminate the flicker. At present, as you observed, the picture shivers, as did the first movies."

"But we have gone far enough to make the televisor commercially. When finally perfected its uses will be unlimited."

Fashion Devotees

Perfume Their Own

London, Sept. 25.—Every woman who attended the novel and interesting fashion parade in the White Room of the Savoy Hotel this week received a lesson in the art of perfuming cigarettes. A mannequin with a black Etou-crop handed around gilt cases containing tiny glass tubes of scent, the ends of which were formed like a needle.

A girl, wearing a short, blue garment and a bright blue wig, gave every woman a cigarette. At the same time she took a tube of scent and pressed one end of it into the cigarette, releasing the perfume into the tobacco by breaking the other end.

A handsome woman in a blue gown, bordered with a delightfully shaded fringe of ostrich feathers, announced that she had come to act as mistress of ceremonies. A gong sounded, and the first mannequin appeared in a sea gown of green and bronze, which created a buzz of comment among the interested spectators. Another was a very pretty full-skirted frock in blue georgette, which had an enormous flounce of acru lace at the wrists.

Garnets—the beautiful stones that have been ousted from favor since mid-Victorian days—are now becoming very fashionable again, and enthusiastic followers of Dame Fashion are already searching in old London antique shops for old-fashioned garnet brooches, necklaces and earrings—and even ransacking their grandmothers' jewel cases.

Rhinestones, too, which have always been popular among the smart set, are as fashionable as ever. I noticed a delightful pair of evening stockings at the restaurant foyer of the Savoy the other night. They had clocks embroidered with rhinestones, and were worn in conjunction with a fairy pair of rhinestone-studded evening shoes.

Post Mark "Ads"

May Cause Mix-ups

London, Sept. 25.—Whether the first advertisements on the postmarks will be "Visit the Cabing Kinema Film" has yet to be seen, but there is sure to be some trouble between traders and the Postmaster-general. A considerable proportion of businesses state their name on the front of the envelope, as, let us say: "Jones Brothers Limited, House Furnishers."

There is going to be some trouble if the Postmaster-general has plastered the envelope over with this slogan: "For Tasteful Furnishing Try Thomas Brothers."

And if envelopes containing particulars of Bands of Hope or temperance gatherings are found to bear a warm tribute to somebody's Scotch whisky, there will be another sort of opportunity for wigs on the green.

"Week-ends" Vanish

As Customs Change

London, Sept. 25.—With the breaking up of the Scottish shooting parties—a little earlier this year owing to the inclement weather in the Highlands—it has now become apparent what a great change has come over that old institution, the English country house party, for the months of September, October and November were always regarded as that special time of the year when bored and weary Mayfairites were able to foist themselves on friends with big houses to receive them.

Most people hoped to spend at least a month in the country mansions of their friends, but this year it is doubtful if one single invitation for more than a week-end has been written. "The Priory" and the "Cas-tle," or whatever it may be called, is now only vulnerable for the space of



J. L. Baird, Scotch inventor, demonstrating his "Televisor," at left, the receiving end, at right, the transmitter.

Old Sultan's Curse Still Rules?

When Abdul Hamid Turned Evil Eye on an Enemy, Trouble Began



Abdul Hamid—"of the evil eye"—centre, and four of his enemies who have come to disaster; right, above, Talaat Pasha; below, Enver Pasha; left, above, Raouf Bey; below, Djavid Bey.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—"Sultan Abdul Hamid the Second is dead, but his evil eye is still working!"

Throughout Turkey the superstitious village sages are shaking their heads. Enver Pasha, Talaat Pasha, Djavid Bey, Nazim Bey, Nali Bey, Hilme Bey—

As predicted twenty years ago, nearly every one of the Young Turks leaders who toppled "Abdul the Damned" from his blood-stained throne has come to an evil end.

TWO ASSASSINATED

Enver Pasha was slain by Bolsheviks in 1921. Talaat Pasha was assassinated. Now four others have been hanged as ringleaders of a new plot against Mustafa Kemal, president of the Turkish Republic. Fate has come full circle.

Always the Turks have believed in the evil eye of their evil tyrant. When he held sway in Turkey, great statesmen "sickened" mysteriously, died, or disappeared. Abdul's "evil eye," folks said.

After he played Christian power

four or six days or a week at the outside.

Yes, the houseparty has diminished in length, if not in brilliance. During the middle of the week you find there are no young people at all in the house. One of the reasons for this is the restlessness of modern youth.

The motorcar is responsible for a lot. The difficulties of domestic staff have also affected country houses, to say nothing of depreciated bank books.

And to-day, of course, there is the thing called work. There is no pretense about that. People who used

to spend the turn of the year flitting from one house party to another, or if they could manage it, spending the whole time at one, are now in many cases running a hat shop, tea shop or some business or other.

Big Stamp Forgery

of Early Days Recalled

London, Sept. 25.—Reports of a wholesale forgery of postage stamps—officially denied—recall an actual

occurrence of half a century ago.

In 1872, when the Post Office took over the telegraph service and established a new shilling minimum rate, there was a great run on shilling stamps. In this some unscrupulous persons saw their chance, and for nearly a year, it is estimated, false shilling stamps were disposed of at the rate of about a thousand a day.

The fraud was not discovered until after it had ceased and no one was ever brought to justice, but since all the false stamps were traceable to the Stock Exchange post office, it seemed clear that some official there was implicated.

THE PRINCE SETS A FASHION

The Prince launched a new fashion at Le Touquet on his recent visit. He was seen to leave the Golf Hotel wearing a pink shirt which had the sleeves cut off at the elbow. The Prince played a round of golf in this cool garb.

The next day the hoister shops in Paris Plage were raided for pink shirts, which appeared on the golf course with the sleeves cut short, but the supply of pink shirts was not equal to the demand, and the next day telephonic and telegraphic messages were sent to London ordering pink shirts to be sent to Le Touquet by aeroplane. Now they are all the rage.

DOCTORS FOR 224 YEARS

London, Sept. 25.—Until the death of Dr. William Curtis, eighty-seven, his family has produced an unbroken line of doctors for 224 years. Through five generations, fathers and sons practiced in the same picturesque seventeenth century house in Alton.

PARLOR IS GARAGE

London, Sept. 25.—A resident of Mygwell Hill found himself with a house of twelve rooms on his hands but no garage and no room on his property to build one. So he re-modeled the front, built an attractive drive, and changed his parlor into a garage.

QUEEN DELIGHTS IN BEING "JUST A HOUSEWIFE"

Her Majesty Has Been in Her Element in Renovating Sandringham

Prince Busy Getting Ready For the Opening of Shooting Season

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

London, Sept. 25.—No woman in the land is more "house proud" than the Queen, who delights to give personal attention to domestic details.

Her Majesty has recently been in her element at Sandringham, where each morning she has walked across from York Cottage to put her new home in order. The Queen has insisted that Queen Alexandra's monogram placed here and there in the great house, shall remain.

But the heavy Victorian tapestries and hangings have gone, the old-fashioned decorations have vanished, and Sandringham is becoming a comfortable modern country house.

When the King goes for the shooting in October, Sandringham will be new and bright. The Queen herself has chosen the colors for the rooms, and the new furniture to take the place of the old. The colors are quiet—shades of cream and blue—and in some of the rooms the wallpaper is so subtly embossed that the pattern cannot be seen until the lights are switched on.

It was suggested that a heavy bureau should be taken away and replaced by a modern one.

"No," said the King, "it belonged to my father."

The bureau remains, but the rooms kept sacred by the Queen-Mother exactly as they were left when the King and the Duke died—even the silver and coppers left by the Duke of Clarence on his dressing-table were undisturbed.

The Queen-Mother is dead, and her memories with her, and to preserve these rooms now would be but an empty symbol.

Among the changes now being made is the abolition of the old custom of keeping the clocks half an hour fast. King Edward many years ago ordered that they should be kept so, having once missed a train through the clock being slow. The only exception he and Queen Alexandra allowed to this rule, was the clock in the private post office at Sandringham, which had to be kept to standard time.

Queen Alexandra's sea bungalow is demolished. It stood only a few yards from the Wash, a quaint place with a Viking air about it. Sea shells lined its walls; the crockery inside it was shaped like Danish fishes.

Here the Queen Mother spent many summer days by the whispering sea. It was a sacred place to her. Now that she has gone the King and Queen feel that it should not be used again.

"A HUNTING WE WILL GO"

The Prince of Wales left York House on a flying visit to Melton Mowbray to see about various matters in connection with the hunting season. He is making Craven Lodge his hunting quarters, and Prince Henry will also hunt from Melton.

The Prince this winter is keeping all his hunters at Melton, as he intends doing most of his hunting from there, but in the course of the season he will have days in other districts. He may do some hunting with the Duke of Beaufort's at Badminton, and Prince Henry will very probably be seen out with the York and Ainstey or the Stannington Hounds, from Kirk Hamerton Lodge, between York and Harrogate, where he often stays with Colonel E. W. Stanforth.

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Bride Finds Adventure In Three-Year Honeymoon

Trip Packed With Hair-raising Episodes Takes Her Half-way Around the World in a Ninety-ton Schooner



Mr. and Mrs. C. Lockhart Cottle.

LONDON, (By Mail)—Girls, would you marry an adventurer? A world wanderer?

And sail away on his ship for a honeymoon in half the strange ports of the Southern seas?

The girl who wed C. Lockhart Cottle did.

On the wings of a whirlwind nine-day courtship, she left her home in a quiet Cornish seaport where a storm had blown him. She went to roam the waves with a boy husband outward bound anywhere "in search of adventure."

She found it. In South American jungles, among natives of the Fiji Islands, amid the storms and calms of two oceans, she found it.

She went bathing in a Dutch Guiana jungle river, while her alarmed husband stood guard with a rifle to ward off alligator and jaguars.

She stood all night tricks at the helm of their ninety-ton schooner, Malaya, while Cottle and his non-descript crew battled to keep sail and rigging intact from the winds.

She fought hostile South American Indians and fainted twice during a thirteen-hour forced march through the tropic sun to the nearest water.

She lived for three years in a cabin six by seven feet, doing without the most primitive accommodations of civilization.

She gave birth to a daughter in far away Samoa, near where Robert Louis Stevenson died.

To-day, after three years packed with enough hair-raising adventures to fill a dozen ordinary lives, she is

only twenty years old.

"And I want to tell you she's been 150 per cent pluck," says Skipper Cottle, his eyes shining. "You can't imagine the hardships such a small vessel as ours entailed for a girl delicately nurtured."

"We were cramped for space, we lacked the comforts most people consider essential. On one occasion we went for 160 days without fresh vegetables, and barely escaped scurvy."

"Once in the Pacific we sighted a lonely out-of-the-way island at a time when we had only seven gallons of water left."

"Early in the cruise my wife had made herself the best helmsman of us all. And she was always the most uncomplaining person on board."

The Malaya, with a cargo of traders' goods, sailed direct from England to Dutch Guiana, then through the Panama Canal, to the Cocos Islands, Ecuador, Galapagos, Christmas Islands, Honolulu, Samoa and the Fiji Islands. At Suva, Cottle disposed of his ship and the adventures returned by steamer.

"It's fine to be back in cool, green England," they say. "No, we're through with the sea for a while, thank you. And through with adventures. And with wild men and wilder animals."

"It's us for a home in the peaceful countryside. Even monotony will seem good."

So it's the quiet life after all for the girl who married a romantic adventurer.

Bishop of London Not Guilty of This

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

London, Sept. 25.—Bad handwriting, against which the society for pure English has issued an appeal, was the cause of an amusing error on the part of Wellington. Mrs. Jane Lou-ton, author of many popular books on gardening, wrote to the Iron Duke asking permission to sketch the Waterloo beeches in the park at Strathfieldaye. Her writing was far from clear, and the signature, "J. London," served to confuse the Duke, who insisted on doing all his own correspondence, as to her identity.

The result was that he replied: "F.M. the Duke of Wellington presents his compliments to the Bishop of London. The bishop is quite at liberty to sketch the beeches which the Duke wore at Waterloo, if they can be found, but the duke is not aware that they differ in any way from the beeches which he generally wears."

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Shah Was Funny Over Powerful Duke

Reuter's Special to The Victoria Times

London, Sept. 25.—The Duke of Sutherland related this week an incident of a visit paid to his grandfather at Trentham by that Shah of Persia who dazzled Europe with his diamonds in the late 'seventies.

After dinner on the second evening of his visit to Trentham, where he had been entertained in the most princely fashion, the Shah asked the Prince of Wales (King Edward) who was also staying there: "Will you take a private message from me to your illustrious mother?"

The Prince said he would.

"Tell Her Majesty," said the Shah, "that I urge her most earnestly to have the Duke of Sutherland's head chopped off at once. He is far too rich and powerful for a subject."

East was much further East in those days than it is now. The ex-Shah of Persia, of 70-day loves the West so much that his devotion to the fashionable life of Paris and the Riviera has cost him his throne.

TWO-OUNCE FROCK

London, Sept. 25.—Women's frocks by envelope! Recently a London girl, wishing to send a frock to a friend, folded it neatly, placed it in a large office envelope and mailed it for the ordinary letter-postage. The dress weighed two ounces.

but, surely, if cutting the hair in one place makes it grow in another, modern men should have luxuriant heads of hair, instead of being bald at thirty, as some of them are. The whiskers and beard of Victorian days—and even the moustache—have given place to the clean shaven. Yet we do not see our shaven brothers, husbands and fathers controlling with difficulty the coiffure of a Paderewski or a Swinburne.

Back to School

Clothes Are Important in Happiness of Children; Sophisticated Note Shown in Modes This Fall



The skirt is smarter than the middie blouse and, with the short plain skirt (left) lends a sophisticated touch. At the right is a brown twill suitable for girls of high school age.

By VIRGINIA SWAIN

The first crisp days of September bring a warning to the mother of a family. "Count Johnnie's socks and investigate the rents in Susan's school dresses!"

For the younger generation, September means a clothes crisis, unless mother has been thinking ahead of its school needs.

Except for the smallest kindergarten, the cotton frocks of summer will be insufficient for school wear in the fall. Summer hats and shoes and wraps have seen their day, and must be replaced by sturdier articles.

The child whose clothes are suitable and in good order has a running start toward a successful school year. That clothes do count in the mental attitude of the child, and therefore in his whole school life, has been proved beyond a doubt.

PLAINLY TAILORED

Therefore, the wise mother will budget her means to secure the best possible garments—not the fanciest—for her youngsters.

The trend in children's clothing is toward a subtle compromise between simplicity and sophistication. Just as clothes for the adult have grown more simple every season, so too are children's clothes plainly tailored, but with a subtle line never before seen in the junior departments.

The illustrated belted dress of brown twill demonstrates the simple smartness of the new dresses for the girl of high-school age.

It is cut on slim, straight lines, with front and side insets of golden crepe de Chine, trimmed with polka dots of brown flat chain stitch.

Belt, sleeve pipings and tie are of the same gold color, and the soft little felt hat is gold-toned also.

Thin crepe-soled walking shoes are the newest thing for this type of school dress.

For the girl of 10 to 14, velveteen

King Objects to Scanty Attire of Women at Races

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

King George did protest at the races in England about the scanty attire of the women. Immediately there was a grand rush among the socially elect of the empire to dressmakers and to shops. Maids sat up nights letting down hems, stitching chiffon into sleeves and necks, and making over their mistresses' wardrobes generally, so they would be less offensive to royal eyes.

It probably will never be decided, the relation between dress and morals. Absolute freedom in dress is more vulgar than immoral, if it comes to cases, but aside from the questions of ethics, extremes are ugly. French dressmakers pull the strings and women are the puppets who dance. Artistic dressmakers set the styles, and what artist is ever hesitant about the nude? In the old days, designers considered the dress. It was a thing of beauty and built to last forever. The person who wore it was more or less an animated dummy with head atop, feet—at least toes—showing, and hands!

Lately, dressmakers have included in the picture a bit, quite a large bit, of the human anatomy as well. Dresses are not made to eclipse the wearer, but to subtly accentuate the charm of the owner.

But the question of rivalry plays a part. In their efforts to outdo each other, some of the couturiers have allowed extremes to substitute itself

for originality. And women accept the decision of the powers that be, and wear what they are told. If Madam So-and-So has designed it, that is the last word for them. Extreme in anything is never good taste. Big sleeves were silly—bustles ridiculous, enormous hoopskirts and pantalettes horrible. Anything that distorts or accentuates the figure is bad style and bad taste—and extremes usually do both.

Metaphors King George may have protested, not altogether because of the courage of modern styles, but because his long suffering eyes could no longer endure a style that makes the average figure ugly.

FLAPPER FANNY SAYS:



All men are born helpless, but some help less than others.

Fashion Flaunts Ornate Fall Styles

New Intricacy Marks Change From Straight Lines

By BETSY SCHUYLER

New York—Vacation over, we can settle down definitely to the fall wardrobe and give our earnest consideration to matters of sleeve and hem.

As September came in, Summer garb went out. Now we see the smartest people in tweeds or jerseys at sporting events, and the more elegant type of evening and dinner gown in the evening.

You can put it down as gospel that clothes are going to be very elaborate and ornate this season. Particularly do I notice this in the new skirts that have suddenly developed a taste for intricacy I should never have dreamed them guilty of, after such a straight line era.

BACK TO GOTHAM

It's astonishing how quickly New Yorkers get back to Gotham for the races. At Belmont Park, I saw the same crowd that I recently saw at Newport and Saratoga, with many additions.

As is her wont, Mrs. Robert McAdoo was a perfect picture of what the well dressed woman wears at the races. Over her beige colored jersey, with tricky pleats, she wore one of these short, belted jackets with a shaggy flower of the material in her buttonhole. Her beige hat turned up decidedly in front, despite the general tendency for a brim to conceal.

A very smart one-piece frock was worn by Mrs. A. Bradley, whose slender figure is exactly right for one of these deep belts worn snugly over the hips.

Such a frock, however, should be restricted to general circulation and should never be obtainable by a stylish stout, no matter how much her heart is set on it.

COATS ARE INTERESTING

At the races several interesting



Mrs. Robert McAdoo, left, and Mrs. Paul Abbott

Paris Finally Recognizes—And Transforms Sports Frock

Informal Style Now Standard for Day Attire; Long Blouse and Short Skirt Proving Popular



"With interesting jacket effect in velvet or wool."

By HENRI BENDEL

No type of dress is being given more careful and more sophisticated attention in Paris than the sport frock.

Practically every authentic couturier has a department devoted entirely to these charming and informal frocks, and all the little touches of individuality, and the tricks of line and cut that more formal clothes have are reflected on them.

Sport clothes were first sponsored by the English woman, and then by the American, but it was not until Paris began to recognize their excellence that they were raised to any sartorial importance.

Each year the number of occasions when sport attire to appropriate grows. In the Winter, for instance, there is no real need for sport clothes on the part of most women who do not go south, or north, for Winter sports, and yet they are worn everywhere as casually as afternoon frocks.

In fact, the sport dress, and modifications of it, have become standard



"Suggestive of a stick of peppermint candy."

day attire, particularly for the flapper and the young matron.

No woman who has kept her figure youthful need hesitate to wear sport attire. And no one need question its absolute propriety for general wear.

Pictured to-day are three of the most approved fall models. The sleeveless model will continue for Winter, and usually is shown with an interesting jacket effect in velvet or wool. The one photographed is of rose flat crepe, trimmed with bands of the same material on the cross grain. The skirt is knife pleated in groups in front and back, and is the abbreviated length that Paris decrees.

Very suggestive of a stick of peppermint candy is the striped model which comes from Chantal. The blouse is of rose colored kasha cloth, and the skirt is of striped red in shades of rose, black and green. The striped red is very cleverly used to trim the belt and sleeves, and is made into ribbons for the tie.

This very long type of blouse is very popular in Paris, and is extremely smart on the tall figure.



"Apple green crepe, combined smartly with black."

A one-piece frock of much charm, and of a type very becoming to the heavier figure, is worn by the mannequin with the hat. The material is apple green flat crepe, combined very smartly with black crepe which binds the sleeves and gives smartness to the hem of the pleated skirt.

The tie fastening, with its suggestion of black, is a little touch of its French originator, Paquin, which has no excuse for being except that it adds immeasurable charm and originality. A medium-sized hat of French velvet sounds the right note in millinery.

Jumpers, despite their popularity this Summer, are extremely smart for Fall in all materials, particularly in velvet, velveteens and crepes. However, there are ever so many one-piece costumes shown, which give the appearance of being jumpers. Lines are straight and comfortable, but belts are very much in evidence, and pleated sections make skirts comfortable and roomy.

In colors, rose, green, blue and fashionable red tones prevail. Hats—frequently contrast with the costume instead of matching it.

coats paraded about in the paddock. Mrs. George Sloane was charming in a straightline model of natural kasha with a stole of natural lynx.

Diagonal folds gave a serpentine line to a tan sport coat worn by Mrs. Paul Abbott, that had a wide collar of light colored fox, and a wrap fastening. Her skirt was considerably longer than many I saw, and I infer she is one of the many smart women who are favoring a less abbreviated attire.

There were many cape coats, one distinctive one of a gray woolen mixture, worn with a yellow crepe frock and a yellow felt vagabond hat.

Speaking of longer skirts and higher waistslines brings me to Gloria



Mrs. A. Bradley

Swanson, who appeared at the tennis matches in a one-piece crepe frock with a skirt that was half way between her knees and her ankles, and a belt actually defining her natural waistline. She wore a small hat, with a drooping brim, and a sable scarf.

At the same event I saw Constance Talmadge, in a green flat crepe dress tightly belted at her honest-to-goodness waistline, and a full pleated skirt. Her hat was made of woven braid, which braid was repeated at the belt and collar of her frock as well—a pleasing little touch.

A bit of millinery that intrigued my fancy was worn by Mrs. Joseph Widener—a small affair of velvet or felt, with an ornament of lace on one side, the same lace that formed her frock, which was of beige lace, over green silk, outlined in black.

A tiny hat of black satin, so small you could scarcely find it with the naked eye, was exceedingly effective on Mrs. Carroll Wainwright, once Edith Gould, and made her brown sparkling eyes very prominent—as lovely eyes should be.

The most interesting evening frocks that came to my attention were in pastel colors, and both had tiered skirts. Mrs. Livingston French wore a lavender chiffon affair with the new bloused effect, embroidered in silver, and belted with a low grille of lavender satin ribbon which hung in loops in the front.

Mrs. James Stewart Cushman's blue moire frock had a plain bodice scalloped ruffles and a belt of the material tied with a bow in the front. She wore pale blue stockings and pumps with this outfit.

TIERED SKIRT HERE

The tiered skirt seems to me to be one of the most insistent of fashions, and it is apparently the vogue, both for day and for evening. The bloused effect is also one of the new developments that threatens to revolutionize our wardrobes.

For evening, chiffon seems to suffer no displacement, although velvet will give it a run later. The number of sparkles and paillettes that are appearing is positively alarming. No matter how dull we feel, apparently we are going to preserve an outward sparkle.

LARGE BOWS

Large bows of pussywillow taffeta ribbon perch on the shoulders of young girls' dance frocks, with long streamer ends falling, one in back and one in front.

MUFFS

Fur sets consisting of long, rich scarves and enormous rectangular muffs are coming into fashion again.

VELVET FLOWERS

A giraffe for a Canton crepe dress may be made of flat, round flowers in several shades, joined as links in a flat chain.

CLOSED COLLARS

Some new frocks have a close neckband that may be fastened leaving a triangular open space below, or worn open and turned back.

Make the School Lunch A Delight to the Child

By SISTER MARY

The mother who must pack a lunch box every school day in the week often finds that she must plan four meals a day in place of the usual three.

The planning of the lunch-box menu is most essential. This meal must be a satisfactory supplement to the other two meals of the day and a sandwich and piece of pie wrapped up in a newspaper is not satisfactory from any point of view.

Plan the lunch the day before. The busy time in the morning, when every minute must count allows little time for "hunting up" something to put in the lunch box.

Next in importance to the food itself is the packing of it in the box. Keep plenty of waxed paper, paper napkins, tiny covered waxed cardboard containers, small paper baking cups and picnic spoons all in one drawer or cupboard close to the shelf or table where the lunch is packed. Wrap and pack neatly, putting the desserts in first and the sandwiches last. If the cookie, fruit or custard is put in the box the last thing the box must be unpacked in order to reach the sandwiches.

Try to keep the lunch interesting for the child. And by doing this you will keep it interesting for yourself, too. A surprise of some sort tucked away in a corner of the box adds much to the luncheon. This surprise may be, in the form of one or two pieces of candy, a prune stuffed with peanut butter, a favorite cookie, a specially fine apple or other fruit or anything your little luncher considers particularly alluring.

These menus may suggest other possibilities to you:

For Children Under Twelve

1—Hard cooked egg and lettuce

sandwiches, bran drop cookies, orange, milk.

2—Raisin graham bread and butter sandwiches, stuffed celery, apple, ginger cup cake, milk.

3—Graham crackers and peanut butter sandwiches, caramel cup, custard, banana, milk.

4—Chicken sandwiches, dates, individual sponge cake, milk.

The cup cakes, sponge cakes and custard are baked in the little paper baking cups.

To prepare the lunch box orange, peel and separate in sections. Pile sections together in original shape and twist firmly in waxed paper.

The lunch for the older boy or girl may include a greater variety of foods. Cheese and sliced cold meats, olives and nuts can be used for sandwich fillings.

High School Children

1—Tomato soup, minced veal and carrot sandwiches, grapes, plain cookies.

2—Nut and cheese sandwiches, ripe olives, orange, chocolate blanc-mange in cup, milk.

3—Shrimp and celery salad in covered container, lettuce sandwiches, bran drop cookies, apple, cocoa.

4—Cold sliced roast meat, hearts of celery, whole wheat bread and butter sandwiches, baked cup custard, apple or orange.

Use whole wheat and graham breads in preference to white, but use rye and the thick "sandwich" breads for variety.

And don't get into a rut, packing the same lunch day after day or using the same food just because it's easy to prepare and pack.

Children's Health Is Half the Battle

By HORTENSE SAUNDERS

"Begin to get your child ready for school at the age of two instead of waiting until he is six," advises Dr. Samuel L. Ansbacher, assistant director of the child hygiene bureau in the East.

"You can buy his books and equipment half an hour before the school bell rings," he goes on, "but it takes years to get his body in shape."

"Those years from two to six when he is out of the baby stage, and not yet in school are the important ones in his physical life, because it is during this span that the child builds the foundation for a healthy body and forms those regular habits that make for mental efficiency quite as much as study and application to books."

WORK WILL SUFFER

"No child," continues Dr. Ansbacher, "should enter school without having been thoroughly examined by the family physician. In New York City a health certificate is required of every school child ten days after admission to school."

"A child should be examined for accuracy of vision and hearing, for breathing condition of the tonsils, nutrition, cardiac and pulmonary disturbances, orthopedics and nervous difficulties."

"A child who sees imperfectly, who is deaf or whose teeth are badly decayed cannot be blamed if his school work is not satisfactory."

"It is my experience that had eyesight, deafness, heart trouble, diseased tonsils, bad teeth and rheumatism—the most common physical defects of the primary school child—could have been, and should have been remedied long before the child started to school."

OPERATE EARLY

"Children examined and kept in condition from their second year, enter school with the best physical equipment, and consequently make the best pupils."

"The diseases to which young children are liable, particularly scarlet fever and diphtheria, leave a child in such a delicate condition that heart trouble, or ear or eye difficulties are apt to follow."

"A favorable time to examine a child's tonsils and to remove adenoids is in his pre-school days, before his vitality has been drained and before complications have arisen."

Not only should all existing ills be treated, but preventive measures should be taken, the doctor warns.

"A child should be vaccinated twice before he enters school. At the age of six months he should have his first vaccination against smallpox and thus the first six years of his life are protected. By the time he enters school the effects of the first vaccination will have worn out and he is ready for another."

"Equally important is the performance of the Schick test for susceptibility to diphtheria. Every child should undergo this, and all found liable to contract this disease should be vaccinated."



Dr. SAMUEL L. ANSBACHER

he rendered immune by toxin anti-toxin injections."

HABITS IMPORTANT

Parents should guard their children against all contagious diseases, the doctor maintains, instead of acting on the theory that the sooner measles and whooping cough have had their run in a family the better.

"Many children," he pointed out, "actually suffer from rheumatism, but their parents dismiss the case as one of 'growing pains.' Growth is a painless process in a healthy child, and such pains often indicate attacks of rheumatism."

But the most important of all pre-school care, he concludes, is the mastery of health habits.

"Remember," he emphasizes, "regular hours for eating will keep the child's stomach and bowels right. Teach the child to go to bed early and to get up early, and to sleep in a room with plenty of fresh air. Keep the child away from crowded places where he comes in contact with those who have coughs and colds."

SIMPLE FOOD

"Instead of prepared foods, let him eat hominy, oatmeal, cornmeal and fresh vegetables. Don't allow him to cultivate a liking for coffee, alcohol or tea—poisons to a child—but give him plenty of milk, cocoa and fruit juices."

"Teach him to brush his teeth regularly, to keep his face and hands clean, to bathe regularly and sleep alone. Don't give him medicine except under the advice of your physician. And don't take the neighbor's advice about your child. Follow the doctor's instructions."

"If you campaign for health between the ages of two and six and have your child in A 1 condition when he reaches school, you have won his greatest battle for him."

TEXTILES

The new weavings favor a perfectly plain, smooth surface, as opposed to the patterned and ribbed cloth of the last few seasons.



A PAGE FOR THE CHILDREN



THE DIARY OF A PUPPY DOG SHOWS WHAT A CANINE PET MAY THINK OF HIS MASTERS

"Wanted—a Home Where They Understand Dog Language.—Apply Fido Wagtail, 3 Kennel Lane, Dogville."

Rambling through a shelf of old books on a rainy afternoon, Olive made a find. "A Page From the Diary of a Puppy Dog," the book was titled, which was peculiar, as who ever heard of a puppy dog that could write, or even read what he wrote if he did, thought the little girl. Still there it was in black and white. Maybe in days long past someone had been able to understand dog language and had written the book for the puppy, Olive decided. The book was illustrated, showing a little white fox terrier puppy, with laughing eyes and absurdly crooked legs.

"Monday, June 1." It read, "my master called at the store to-day and paid \$5 to the storekeeper for me. Fancy being worth all that, and I thought I was a mongrel! He is only eight years old, but he seems very big to me. Wears a sailor hat and a red coat, and talks tremendously fast, so fast indeed that I can scarcely follow what he says. My master appears to think that I cannot understand what he says, for he repeats everything three times."

"Once he said: 'Fido,' that's what I am going to call you." I wagged my tail, of course, and barked. I like the name Fido. It's not so common as Towser or Prince.

"On the way home Teddy, that's his name, carried me to the street car under his arm, and smuggled me on board. The conductor did look cross at me, but still it is none of his business whether I ride on the floor or a seat. Queer things street cars, full of noisy people, all talking at once."

"There was another boy there with a paper bag in his hand. Though I sniffed and sniffed at the bag he would not let me see what was inside. I just know it was something good to eat. Teddy pulled me away by the tail, too. 'Supposing someone held him up by the heels, how would he like that?' I asked him, but he does not seem to understand dog language."

"Tuesday, June 2: Well I was so busy last night getting used to my new home that I could not write anything. I like Teddy's folks, and I like Teddy. But I am not so sure about the big grey cat. She gave me a nasty look as we came in last night. I am not going to start a row, of course, but still she had better stop that spitting. A nasty habit, anyway, and all I wanted in her bowl was the milk. Still cats are queer like that."

"This morning we went to the beach. It was my first time at the beach."

TWO APPLES A MEAL



There's a meal in itself in one of these apples. They measure six inches in diameter and weigh more than two pounds each. Yet these two are the only big ones off the same tree. The rest weren't half their size.

THE BIBLE IN PICTURES AND TEXT

By HELEN E. OHRENSCHALL

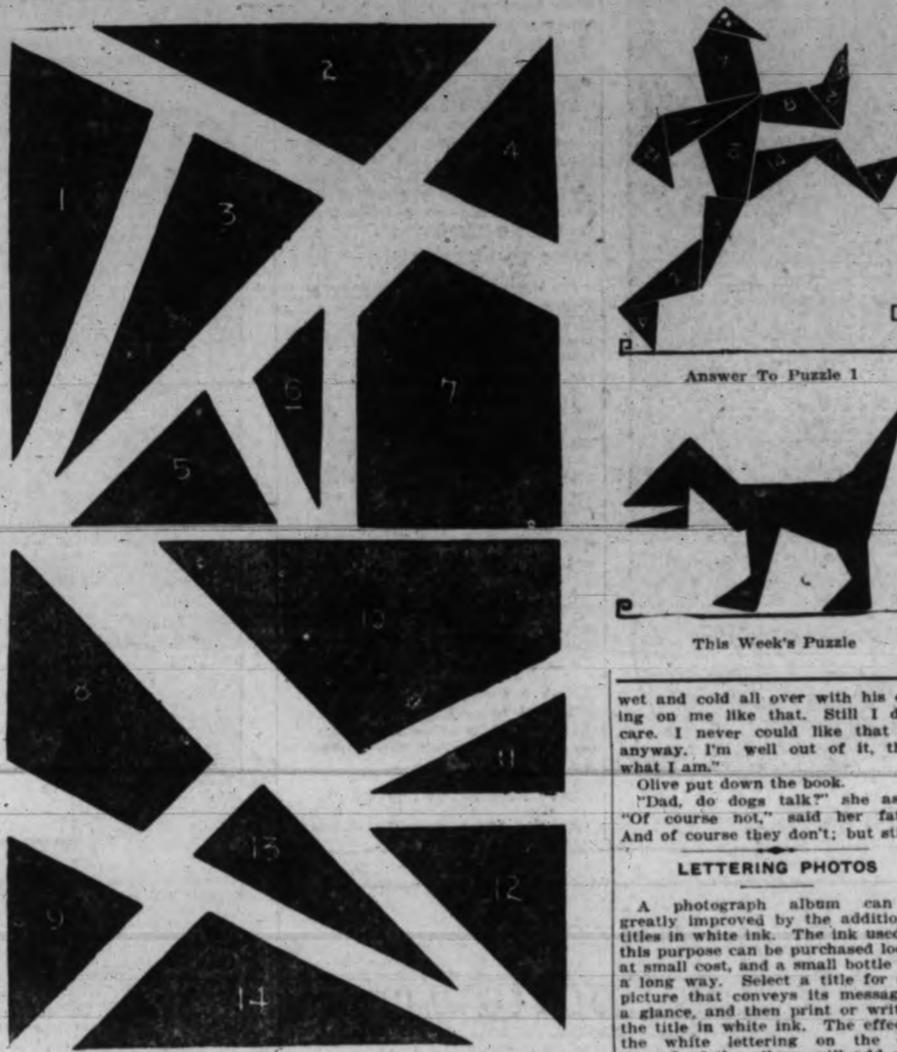


THE FEASTS

THE Lord commanded the children of Israel to keep three feasts for Him every year. The feast of the passover, seven weeks after, the feast of the harvest, when the people would thank God for sending the sunshine and rain which made the seed grow, and at the end of the year when the fruit of the land had been gathered they were to keep the feast of the tabernacles, cutting the boughs of trees and living in booths. At each of the feasts the children of Israel were to come to the tabernacle bringing offerings to the Lord.

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ARCHIMEDES' PUZZLE No. 2



Answer To Puzzle 1

This Week's Puzzle

wet and cold all over with his crying on me like that. Still I don't care. I never could like that cat, anyway. I'm well out of it, that's what I am."

Olive put down the book. "Dad, do dogs talk?" she asked. "Of course not," said her father. "And of course they don't; but still—"

LETTERING PHOTOS

A photograph album can be greatly improved by the addition of titles in white ink. The ink used for this purpose can be purchased locally at small cost, and a small bottle goes a long way. Select a title for each picture that conveys its message at a glance, and then print or write in the title in white ink. The effect of the white lettering on the dark ground of the album will add wonderfully to your album. Sometimes, after years have gone by, an album is opened by those who have forgotten the faces shown in the photographs and lettering done now will be appreciated then. A mappin pen gives the best results; but an ordinary pen will do, if you take care not to take up too much ink on it at one time.

TWO BABY YAKS



These baby yaks, born a week apart at the Bronx Park zoo, New York, are the latest youngsters to attract attention there. The proud mothers are shown comparing their offspring, though each is convinced hers is the superior. The mothers are sisters, having been born in the park five years ago.

IS COMING STAR



Eight moving pictures filmed in the last seven months have had the advantage of this star's acting. She is Nancy Kelly, five years old. Here she is shown at a Long Island studio.

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily and Jim's Arm

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By HOWARD R. GARIS

"Uncle Wiggily, would you like to come with us?" politely invited Floppy Twistytail, the piglet boy one day.

"We would 'specially like to have you!" grunted Curly, who was Floppy's brother.

"Well, that is very kind of you, I am sure," answered the rabbit gentleman, as he put an extra fine Christmas tree star twinkle on the end of his nose. "Where are you going?"

Neither of the little piglet boys answered for a moment, but there they stood, sort of bashfully digging their paws down in the dirt, looking at each other and at Uncle Wiggily until, finally, the rabbit uncle said again:

"Where are you going?"

"You tell him, Curly!" giggled Floppy.

"No, you tell him, Curly!" snickered Floppy.

"Oh, well, if it's a secret—" began Uncle Wiggily.

"No, it isn't a secret!" quickly squealed Floppy. "We're going to buy some sour milk lollypops."

"Cause we like that kind best!"

"Help! Help!"

"Let's run!" squealed Floppy.

went on Curly. "And you are invited to come along, Uncle Wiggily."

"Oh, how nice!" murmured Mr. Longears. "And as I have nothing else to do, and as it may lead to an adventure, I'll go with you."

So he hopped along beside the piglet boys who had to waddle, on account of being so fat. And soon they were at the lollypop store.

"You go in first," grunted Curly to Floppy.

"No, you go in first!" squealed Floppy to Curly.

"Look here!" laughed Uncle Wiggily. "Why all this fuss? Why don't you both go in together. Or is it because you have no pennies to buy lollypops?" he asked.

"That's it!" gasped Curly, and Floppy, with a sigh of relief, said: "That's it! We have no money, so we invited you and we knew you were lucky and we thought maybe, walking with you, we'd find two pennies in the street and—"

"Ha! Ha!" laughed the rabbit. "That's pretty good. But you didn't find any pennies, so I guess I had better look in my pocket."

This Uncle Wiggily did, and he found two pennies. Giving one each to Floppy and Curly, the rabbit gentleman watched them buy the sour milk lollypops, on the ends of sticks, and then all was happiness.

"Now we must look for an adventure!" said Uncle Wiggily, so he hopped along toward the woods, with Curly and Floppy waddling beside him, eating their lollypops.

All of a sudden, in a deep, dark part of the woods, a voice cried:

"Help! Help! Help!"

"Oh, my goodness! Let's run!" squealed Floppy.

"What! Run away when some one needs help?" asked Uncle Wiggily.

"If you want to run and get something to help with, and run back again, that's all right. But—Oh, I see you!" suddenly called the rabbit uncle. "Hello there, Jumping Jack! Do you want another pair of lead-pencil legs?"

"I am not Jack! I am his brother Jim," was the answer, and then the piglets saw a little wooden man, like Jumping Jack. But he had no arms, and when Uncle Wiggily asked about them Jim said:

"Oh, it was my own fault that I lost my arms. I wanted to show my brother Jack what a fine chap I was to swing on a circus trapeze. But I swung so long I dropped right off my arms, and they are still hanging on the trapeze. And without arms I can't wave my arms to keep the flies and mosquitoes away. Oh, dear! What shall I do?"

"I know what you can do, Uncle Wiggily," squealed Floppy. "Take our lollypop sticks—we have eaten the candy off them, and make arms for Jim out of our empty lollypop sticks."

"The very thing!" cried the bunny. "I'll do it!" So from the lollypop sticks he made two new arms for Trapeze Jim, and all was well. And when the Funny Fox tried to bite the bunny, Jim with his wooden arms, tickled the bad chap so hard that he ran away. And if the clothes pin doesn't pinch the pussy cat's tail and make her scratch the face of the clock, I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the ink berries.

HOME FIRE MARSHALS HAVE BUSY SEASON AHEAD WITH MANY SURPRISES IN STORE

Times' Volunteer Fire Fighters Are Enrolling Now for Two-minute-a-day Service in Their Own Homes

Fall winds and flying sparks make these busy days for the city fire-fighter. For eight months in the year the engines rest in their halls with only occasional runs. From now until the end of the year they will be out three and four times a day, and some part of every night.

The reason for the added number of fires at this time of the year, speaking of cities and not of the forest fire menace, is that with the coming of the cooler weather, people stoke up wood fires in their homes. Sparks fly, and the wind carries the sparks from roof to roof. Sometimes fires result, and these are often difficult to put out, once they get a hold on the dwelling.

Fire fighters say that by far the largest number of fires come from a start which might have been prevented, if someone had been only reasonably careful. If in every home in this city there was a fire chief, there would be little danger of fires taking place through carelessness. There can be a fire chief in every home, and readers of The Times' Children's Page can help to bring this about.

Last year over 200 boys and girls of school age in this city joined The Times' Home Fire Marshal's Club, a volunteer organization with a very real mission. Each member took two minutes out of every day to see that there were no loose papers, rubbish or other inflammable material left lying about their homes, which might lead to fire. They made a daily record of what they did in this respect, and took great pains to live up to the single rules of the club.

It is now time for the Home Fire Marshals to become active again, by turning in report cards which showed she had given this two-minute-a-day to her parents for eight months on end without break. That was a fine record, and was made by Miss Margaret Allen, who has been many times a winner of other contests conducted on this page.

All that is necessary for you to do to become a member of the fast growing club, is to send in your name, age, and address to the "Children's Page, The Times, Victoria, B.C.," and watch for the announcement of your name in turn. From week to week will be published hints for the home fire-fighters, as suggested by the leaders of the Victoria Fire Department.

Here are the main duties of a Home Fire Marshal:

1.—Give two minutes each day to removing known fire hazards.

2.—Learn the way to the nearest fire alarm box (but don't touch it, for that would mean a fine for turning in a false alarm).

3.—Learn how to call the fire department on the telephone (but again be careful not to do so, as this would also be a false alarm and a fine would follow).

4.—Keep a record of what you do each day to make your home safe from fire.

5.—Clip out and learn the fire prevention hints that will be published week by week to help you.

Fire hazards in an average home consist chiefly of collections of old papers, rags and rubbish which are allowed to dry out, and are always ready to take fire if they can; oily rags and rags with paint stains on them, allowed to lie about undisturbed; matches left where little tots, or even mice, may get them; woodpiles too close to a stove, furnace or other sources of heat; clothes too near a stove; the presence of gasoline or other dangerously inflammable liquids kept in a careless way; sooty chimneys; and fires piled too high on a windy night.

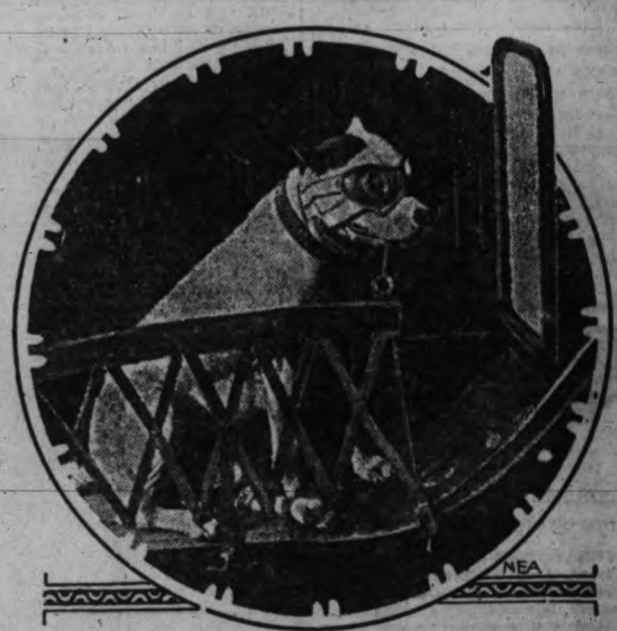
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CHICKS AND CUPS



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TEDDY RIDES IN REAL STYLE



Teddy, husky bull terrier owned by C. R. Myer, wouldn't think of riding on his master's running board without his goggles properly adjusted. Furthermore, he insists on having his own private windshield set up for him.



A Page of Interest to Women

Society and Home Interests and Activities



College "That's Different"

Founded by Woman Teacher

Fewer Studies, Fewer Students and No Sororities in New California School for Women

By W. H. PORTERFIELD

"To stress the essentials, reduce the size of the curriculum instead of increasing it, to give the genuine fundamentals of the highest concept of a liberal education for women, and yet to offer some of the undoubted advantages of co-education."

This is the central thought expressed by Miss Ellen Browning Scripps in describing very briefly her latest enthusiasm, "Scripps College for Women," which she has just founded as the second unit of "Claremont Colleges," at Pomona, California.

Miss Scripps, the fascinating sister of the noted publisher, the late Edward W. Scripps, is given to enthusiasms. She is only ninety years of age, and she doesn't feel at all ready to stop work.

She already has given \$500,000 to Pomona College. "But that institution," she says, "while small—it has only 750 students—still is not quite small enough, and besides, it is co-educational."

ENROLLMENT LIMIT 300

The idea of a separate college for women, to be associated in some of its aims and ideals and opportunities with Pomona College, has been growing in Miss Scripps' mind for a long time. At a dinner given for the purpose, she announced her latest gift of \$500,000 for this newest and most interesting experiment.



ELLEN B. SCRIPPS
Founder of "Scripps College for Women"

There are to be but 300 students at Scripps College; no more will be admitted. The curriculum will be limited to the great fundamentals of liberal education. Every girl will be housed in comfortable, modern, up-to-the-minute dormitories, the windows looking out upon lovely Mount San Antonio to the north and upon 10,000 acres of splendid orange groves to the south.

There will be no sororities, for Miss Scripps does not believe these peculiar social-climbing institutions are necessary to the intellectual, moral, or temperamental develop-

ment of women. There will be no vocational training.

Miss Scripps and her advisers are agreed in this, that no matter what the young woman of to-day may plan for the future, whether she is to earn her living behind a desk or counter or to earn it none the less behind the dishpan in the kitchen, she needs to be educated for life.

"Life, it seems to me," said Miss Scripps, "is about the most important thing there is. One may learn stenography or typewriting or book-keeping for life is fundamental and keeping or even teaching, but pre-must be the foundation."

CLASSES OF TWENTY-FIVE

So there you have it. Classes will be limited to twenty-five. The best professors obtainable will be engaged, men and women who can and will give their personal attention to every student of this college, where quality will be stressed above everything else.

The new institution will be built immediately adjacent to Pomona's campus. The open air theatre, stadium, magnificent music hall, the big new chemical laboratories, libraries, and spacious grounds of Pomona will be open to all Scripps College students.

Thus will be founded the second unit in this "Oxford-in-America" experiment, which has been so fond a dream of President James Blaisdell of Pomona for years past. The first freshman class will be admitted in September, 1927.

FALL COATS

Straight coats of bengaline silk with bands and facings of black velvet, are being shown in Paris.

HANDBAGS

Handbags remain large and square and colored to harmonize with the costume.

CLASSIC

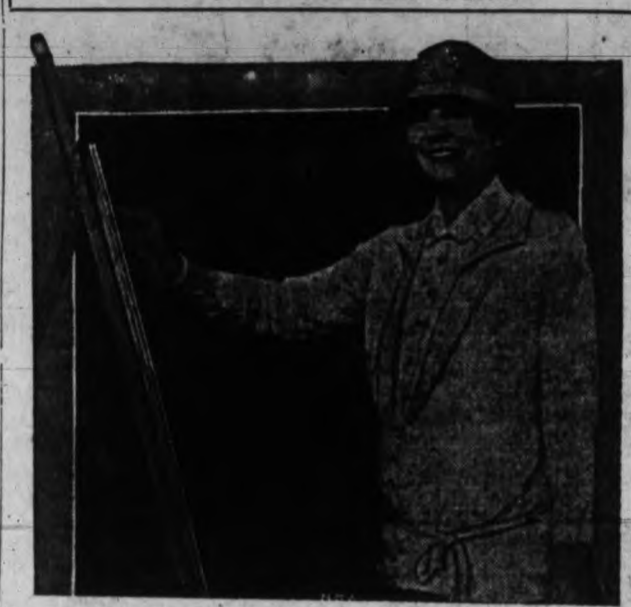


Reminiscent of the ancient Greek is this mauve chiffon velvet evening gown by Poiret of Paris. Sequin bands of gold and silver bind the top, middle and foot of the bodice, while the velvet drape is of deep plum color.

PLAID COATS

Co-eds are buying wool topcoats in large plaids, with collars of short-haired furs.

ART CLAIMS HELEN AGAIN



Helen Wills, shy her appendix and her tennis championship, returns to her beloved art class at the University of California.



Mrs. Eldred will be glad to answer all questions pertaining to babies and children. A stamped and self-addressed envelope forwarded to this office will bring a personal reply.

YOUR BABY and MINE

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

THE BABY'S OWN BEAUTY AIDS

One smiles at the idea of a baby having aids to beauty and sentimentality as sure to say: "Youth is its own beauty," or something to that effect. Which in a way is true and true again isn't, because even the sweetest baby is unattractive if dirty, or has unkempt hair, matted with cradle-cap, or eyes which are red and rimmed with pus; or a skin that is rough and red from a number of causes. The baby has his own brand of beauty but it needs care and daily attention.

So for the baby's very own use we have a number of preparations which are as much a part of his daily toilet, as bath salts and cold cream and powder are of his mother's.

In his toilet basket will be two bottles, one containing plain salt water, made with one teaspoon of salt and one pint of boiled water. Every morning his mother will take two wisps from a roll of absorbent cotton and using one for each eye, wipe the baby's eyes carefully with the salt water. Or, if she likes it better, she may use boric acid water, made with one teaspoon of the boric powder to one pint of boiled water, and kept in a covered bottle also.

In another bottle will be olive oil. This she uses in the creases of the baby's skin after his bath, if he has the sort of skin which becomes too dry when talcum is used. Also she will dip a small twist of cotton in the oil and oil the baby's nose so that all crusts will be easily removed without causing the baby discomfort.

Clean skin, white teeth, glossy hair and well kept nails, spell beauty from childhood on. And whatever one's natural heritage of beauty the time to begin its preservation and enhancement is in infancy.

Local Woman Has Valuable Collection of Letters and Souvenirs of Bygone Days

Mrs. John Snape of Glanford Avenue Treasures Letters of John Wesley, Charles Dickens and Other Notables; Josiah Wedgwood's Cheque; Quaint Documents and Cruikshank Etchings

Victoria has long been looked upon by collectors of antiques and bric-a-brac as a happy hunting-ground in which search for treasure may be rewarded by the discovery of some priceless bit coveted by connoisseur or museum. From time to time such finds are heralded abroad and bring renown not only to the fortunate owner but also to this city, as was the case with the wonderful collection gathered together by the late Mr. Gartside.

But in addition to those collections which have become almost household words by their attraction for the dilettante and the collector, there are others in Victoria which represent treasured heirlooms handed down from generation to generation and little known except in the intimate family circles of the fortunate possessors. Such a one is owned by Mrs. John Snape of Glanford Avenue, and a representative of The Times spent many happy hours a few days ago looking through her wonderful store of autographed letters of bygone celebrities, including those of Queen Victoria and the Prince Consort, as well as a host of lesser dignitaries of that period, charming old prints and woodcuts, quaint notices published in the early nineteenth century, and many other delightful souvenirs associated with notable personages of the aristocracy and literary world of the Victorian era.

COLLECTED BY GRANDFATHER

Mrs. Snape's treasures, which she keeps at her bank for safety, represent but an infinitesimal part of a famous collection made by her grandfather, the late Joseph Dearden of Preston, Lancashire.

A catalogue in Mrs. Snape's possession, relative to an auction sale which was to have taken place in June, 1875, for the disposal of part of Mr. Dearden's collection following his death, reveals something of the amazing magnitude and variety of his collection. It included rare old books, with many first editions, a wonderful collection of letters and autographs, many rare engravings, curiosities of varying kinds, and a number of rare and valuable coins.

ATTRACTIVE DICKENSIA

Perhaps the most interesting items in Mrs. Snape's possession are those which may be described as Dickensian and Wesleyan. Among her mementoes of Charles Dickens is an original letter signed by him acknowledging the receipt of a sum of money from the Theatre Royal, Preston, representing the profits on a benefit performance given for the family of, and in memory of, Douglas Jerrold. The letter, which is in a wonderful state of preservation, with the ink as clear as the day on which the great novelist wrote it, was dated in 1855.

Other letters of the writer are in the collection, while especially interesting is a copy of Dickens' "Christmas Carol," the 1856 edition, which the novelist used for a public reading of the story given by him at Preston on December 13, 1861. After the reading, Dickens autographed the book and presented it to the late Mr. Dearden.

JOHN WESLEY'S LETTERS

A rare possession treasured by Mrs. Snape and of paramount interest to Wesleyans as well as to bibliophiles consists of an original letter written by John Wesley on November 20, 1755, to Rev. Mr. Walker of

Truro, Cornwall, England. In addition to this original letter, Mrs. Snape has photographed copies of letters written by Wesley to his brother, Charles, in 1777 and 1781, the originals being in the possession of other members of her family in England. She also owns several fine old prints of the great reformer, together with a very old key to a picture of Wesley preaching in Bolton in 1749.

A WEDGWOOD CHEQUE

Collectors of old China would find much to interest them in an original cheque signed by Josiah Wedgwood, the father of modern pottery, and dated at Etruria, Staffordshire, July 19, 1788. There is also an interesting letter from the Earl of Clanricarde written to Mr. Wedgwood in 1788 and ordering a dinner service, including "root dishes," for the Earl's household.

Other autographed letters, all originals, of notables in Mrs. Snape's collection include those written by Joseph Mazzini, the pioneer of Italian emancipation in the early 'fifties, together with a pamphlet of the period describing his life and his political work, which is of remarkable similitude to the emancipator of to-day, Benito Mussolini.

NOTABLE AUTOGRAPHS

Autographs of Queen Victoria and the Prince Consort, the Duke of Cambridge, and original autographed letters written by the Duke of Wellington, Lady Byron, Earl Balcarres, the 12th, 13th and 14th Earls of Derby, Sir Robert Peel (1855), Earl of Warwick (1864), Lord Viscount Bateman (1791), William Ewart Gladstone (1858), George Cruikshank, the great illustrator, Sir Matthew Ridley, the Marchioness of Ormonde and his reply to her, Sirs Reeves, a famous singer, and many others are included in the collection in Mrs. Snape's possession.

A NAIVE PAMPHLET

There is something refreshingly naive about a tiny handbill published in 1859 concerning an excursion in Preston, Lancashire. Its patronizing tone furnishing striking commentary upon the general attitude towards the poor in early Victorian days. Women in those days were "females" and their inferiority is reflected in the reduced rates provided for them! The pamphlet is worded as follows:

THE POOR PEOPLE'S TRIP!

Tuesday, August 30th, 1859.
This trip is intended to accommodate poor people, and to enable them to get to the sea side, at least once a year, for the purpose of enjoying a day's rational and health-restoring pleasure. The committee hereby you will all make it such a day of enjoyment, so that their object may be answered, which will not be the case if the day is spent in dissipation. What little money you may have to spend, let it be spent rationally. It is not necessary to go spending your money at the public-houses and jerry-shops to find pleasure, nor even to procure what are usually called refreshments.

The buns and milk will be distributed at or near the Wesleyan School-room, near the beach, from 11 to 2 o'clock.

The train will return from Blackpool at 5 o'clock. Be at the Station in good time, so that the train may start punctually.

Parties intoxicated will not be allowed to return by the train. J. LIVESSEY, Chairman. T. EDELSTON, Secretary. Preston, August 30th, 1859.

The Females' Annual Cheap Trip will, this year, be to Liverpool, and will take place on Tuesday next, September 2. It will start from the East Lancashire Station at a quarter-past eight, and return from Liverpool at 7 o'clock. Children, 3d.; females, 1s.; males, 1s. 6d.

Quaint also in their language are two handbills describing the marriage of Queen Victoria to Prince Albert, and description of a costume ball given by the Queen at Buckingham Palace in June, 1845.

CRUIKSHANK ETCHINGS

Among the engravings, prints and other objects of art handed down to Mrs. Snape from her grandfather's

collection are a number of hand-colored etchings by George Cruikshank, the famous caricaturist and illustrator, illustrating Dickens's novels. Some charming old steel engravings of lovely women of the day, quaint fashion plates depicting styles for wear in 1799, and several fine water-colors executed in Rome by the Italian artist, J. Seganti for Lady Shelley in 1816, lend catholicity to this assortment of treasures of a bygone age.

TEMPERANCE TIDBITS

Although Mrs. Snape has not the pledge in her own possession, she has some interesting notes concerning the first pledge ever signed in the cause of temperance. It appears that about the year 1830, seven people pledged themselves to refrain from alcoholic liquors and signed a letter to that effect. This was the first temperance pledge known, and is now framed and belongs to a member of the Dearden family.

Temperance advocates may be interested to learn the origin of the word "teetotal." According to a newspaper clipping belonging to Mrs. Snape, one of the associates of Joseph Livesey, the father of total abstinence, was addressing a meeting. He stammered badly and said "We don't want mere abstinence. We want t-t-t-t-t-total abstinence." When a wag in the audience shouted, "That's it, lad! Tee-total abstinence," and a new word was coined.

SOUVENIR OF ROYAL JUNK

Of a totally different character but equally interesting are the souvenirs of the visit of Queen Victoria and the Prince Consort to the Royal Chinese Junk, "Keying" in 1847, this being the only junk which has ever sailed to England from the Orient. The Mandarin Heising was aboard, and the description of the junk and the visit of Her Majesty are related in a pamphlet published at the time of which Mrs. Snape has a copy. She also has a pair of diminutive shoes worn by a Chinese lady of rank who was aboard the junk, together with some exquisite Chinese paintings on rice-paper which the Mandarin presented to her grandfather. These being the work of the artist, Yosequa.

These are but a few of the souvenirs of bygone days which belong to Mrs. Snape. The present she and her husband are farming. Mr. Snape being well known as a breeder of fine hogs, but in the intervals when she is not engaged in her many duties of a farm, Mrs. Snape indulges in daydreams made more rosy by the prospect of the affluence which she hopes to acquire by the disposition of some of the collection which has come down to her from her late grandfather.

MENUS FOR THE FAMILY

By SISTER MARY

Breakfast—Apple sauce, cereal cooked with figs, thin cream, creamed dried beef on toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—Spinach and egg salad, cottage cheese and strawberry preserve, sandwiches, milk, tea.

Dinner—Broiled fish with lemon garnish, ten minute cabbage, stuffed tomato salad, bran rolls, rice pudding with gooseberry sauce, milk, coffee.

The tomatoes are stuffed with celery, olives and nuts combined with mayonnaise for the dinner salad.

No potatoes or "starchy" vegetable is suggested in the dinner menu but rice is served for the dessert.

RICE PUDDING WITH GOOSEBERRY SAUCE

Two-thirds cup rice, 1 cup boiling water, 1 cup hot milk, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup sugar, 1 egg.
Wash rice through many waters. Cover with cold water and let stand two hours. Drain. Put rice and boiling water in top of double boiler and cook over hot water until water is absorbed. Add milk, salt and sugar and cook until rice is soft, stir in egg well beaten and cook two minutes longer. Turn into a buttered mold and let stand until cold. Chill on ice.

Top and tail 2 cups of gooseberries. Wash and drain. Put 1/2 cup water into a smooth saucepan, add 1/2 cup sugar and gooseberries. Stew until berries are soft. Stir in 1 tablespoonful of corn starch moistened in cold water and cook, stirring constantly for five minutes. Turn rice from mold, pour over sauce, garnish with whipped cream and serve.

The Beauty Doctor

By NINON



Posed by Hazel Hurd

CONDITION—Tired looking eyes that have lost their sparkle and luster.

DIAGNOSIS—Fatigue and a general lowering of vitality.

TREATMENT—You need rest, more outdoor life, and very likely your diet is at fault. To relieve the condition permanently, you need to build up your general health. For temporary relief, so that you present a more animated picture, try this: Dip pads of cotton in very warm water, and hold them over your closed eyes, changing as soon as they lose their warmth. After about five minutes of this, during which time you lie down and relax, use pads wrung out of ice water, and change as soon as they become warm. This impetus to your circulation will rest your eyes, tend to remove any dark circles, and beautify the eyes generally.

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A DIFFERENCE IN TIME



20 YEARS AGO—

AND TO-DAY

The String Bean

By MARY ROBERTS PINCHART
Illustrated by LEO JOSEPH ROCHE

HIS mother and Uncle Henry differed considerably about the String Bean's imagination. Not, of course, that they called him the String Bean. He was generally known as Bill at home.

Uncle Henry maintained that an imagination like that ought to be an asset, and after his nose had healed, and he was able to get some perspective on that strange scene in the woodlands of New Jersey, he felt somewhat the vicarious triumph of those people who foster grand opera singers.

He was damaged, but vindicated. On the other hand, the String Bean's mother regarded his imagination as a liability.

It was while he was away at prep school that he acquired the name of the String Bean. His mother never knew the reason, but Uncle Henry did.

Uncle Henry, in Bill's senior year, received a letter from a gentleman known to some four hundred boys as "Pansy," and invented a letter to his New York brokers. When he got to the school he rather liked Pansy, who had a sense of humor, too. Bill's mother hadn't very much. They hit it off rather well.

"I wouldn't so much mind the one instance," Pansy said. "It was a bit of some sort. But boys are slavish imitators, and Bill is popular." He picked up his glass of ginger ale, to which Uncle Henry had added a dash of flavor from his hip pocket. "By the way," he said, "they're calling him the String Bean now." He grinned. "I must say, when the lights of my car fell on him, he looked like one. Long and thin, you know, and yellow."

"What are you going to do?" enquired Uncle Henry.

"Skin him alive when he gets over his cold," said Pansy, cheerfully. "And make it too uncomfortable to be fashionable for the rest."

Bill, it appeared, had accepted a wager to run a mile at night along a public highway, in puris naturalibus. A phrase, by the way, which he had to write five hundred times the following day.

Uncle Henry made a visit to the String Bean's quarters before proceeding to the infirmary. He leaped over various objects, and sat down on the bed to look about him, when, with a startling unanimity, all the windows closed and the steam radiator began to hiss. Investigation revealed that Uncle Henry had inadvertently pulled a string attached to the bed by which it was our young hero's custom, on hearing the rising gong, to turn on the heat and lower his windows without rising.

A Dual Existence

WHEN Uncle Henry and Pansy were walking to the infirmary later on, he explained the String Bean in one word.

"Imagination," he said. "The boy's got imagination."

"Too much imagination," said Pansy. They found the String Bean sitting up in bed, croaking like a raven, and writing "in puris naturalibus" five hundred times.

Imagination brought the String Bean home from college at the end of eighteen months, said imagination having to do with placing a stuffed gorilla from the museum in the pulpit of the chapel, and the faculty lacking Pansy's sense of humor.

He seemed quite unrepentant. In two minutes he had kissed his mother and Maggie the cook, thumped the butler on the back, placed a chaste salute on the top of Uncle Henry's bald head, rolled on the floor of the hall with the dog, and demanded food. And as soon as he was fed he went off to see Mary Dunn, taking Uncle Henry's new Pierce-Arrow.

Mary was being very popular. There was a Ford, a Buick, and a Stutz Bearcat at the curb, a sure indication of popularity. The String Bean knew each one instantly, including the year of its birth, and swung in with the Pierce-Arrow like a grizzly bear among the small fry of the forest. When he drove Uncle Henry's car he had no difficulty at all in imagining it was his own; so he followed his usual tactics, turning in the drive at reckless speed and then jamming on the brakes, which squealed loudly. This had the usual double effect of forcing Uncle Henry to relime his brakes frequently and of bringing Mary Dunn to the window.

"Why, Bill!" she cried. "When did you get back?"

"About an hour ago," said Bill, and made a magnificent entry into the house.

Instantly the other young gentlemen present suffered a considerable shrinkage. Before long only Uncle Henry's Pierce-Arrow remained in front of the Dunn house, and Mary Dunn was gazing up at the String Bean with her soul in her eyes.

During most of that spring Mr. William Whitmore, known to the initiate as the String Bean, otherwise as Bill, lived a dual existence. To his family and to Mary Dunn he was much the same as usual. He played tennis, took a shower, leaving the bathroom in a state of inundation and chaos, and was liable afterwards, clad only in a bath towel, to make forays on the refrigerator downstairs. In other words, he lived the normal life of a young man unexpectedly freed from study and not yet quite ready to go to work.



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BUT he was living the life of his imagination also. Frequently, after dinner, he shut himself in his room and might have been seen by any passer-by, head bent, on hand under the lamp of his desk, engaged in some mysterious mental labor.

To Mary Dunn, a frequent passer-by, he confided that he was writing. "When I see what they publish," he said, "it makes me sick. If I couldn't do better than that!"

"But of course you can, Bill." One morning Bill's mother brought a piece of paper to the breakfast table. Uncle Henry was already there, all pink and shaved for his bank.

Bill's mother laid the piece of paper before him.

"He's writing, Henry."

"Well, he'd better have some outlet for that imagination of his. What's he writing?"

"Poetry."

"My word!" said Uncle Henry. And read the scrap aloud.

"This is the sea, which the poets describe Boundless and deep, and full of the love And hate of a woman."

Uncle Henry stared at it in stupefaction.

"It sounds very pretty," said Bill's mother.

"Sounds! Sounds!" snorted Uncle Henry. "What does it mean?" He propped it up in front of him, and studied it, his lips moving. "Full of the love and hate of a woman! Full of fish!"

Mary Dunn was greatly excited about Bill's going on a newspaper, and after he showed her his police card it was noticeable that the Buick, the Ford and the Stutz Bearcat began to be parked in front of the Johnson house, down the street.

William would pick out the leading editorial and recognize the String Bean's handiwork in it. One entitled "Are We Worthy of Our Birthright?" she was so certain about that he had not the heart to undeceive her.

But the truth was that the String Bean's contributions were running about like this:

"Rev. Dr. Aloysius B. Connor has returned from his vacation spent at Atlantic City, and will preach at St. Margaret's to-morrow at the eleven o'clock service."

He was receiving fifteen dollars a week.

Two things happened at about this time which had a vital effect on the String Bean's future career.

One was the fact that Uncle Henry, returning from luncheon at his club one day, was stupefied to see, racing to a fire, the Pierce-Arrow, which was supposed to be safely at home. Two policemen were hanging on the running board, and nine young gentlemen, obviously of the newspaper fraternity, were jammed inside it, some even sitting on the tops of its splendidly varnished doors. As Uncle Henry watched, the car struck a wet place in the street, turned completely around, and then went on again without so much as a hesitation.

Enter a Ford Car

UNCLE HENRY swallowed his heart, which had been in his throat, and his indignation, which was extreme, and went back to his bank. He did a little figuring that afternoon. Gasoline, oil, wear and tear on tires, brakes and cushions, against the fifteen dollars a week Bill was receiving, and which, by the way, only Bill ever saw. And being a gentleman to whom the number seven was the magic number, representing the banker's dream of interest, he divided the fifteen by seven, and computed

that his own net loss that day was something like eight dollars.

The other event was a conversation between the String Bean and his city editor, anent the intrusion of a quotation from De Quincey into the account of the arrest of a gentleman who had been arrested stealing dope.

"I don't care who De Quincey was, or what he took," the city editor had said in a loud tone. "What we deal in here is fact. What we want is What, When, Where, and if possible, Why. We don't want imagination."

It is rather interesting to sit back for a moment here, and reflect on these two apparently irrelevant incidents. And a third. For it was on this day that an elderly veteran named Thomas Baird drew one hundred and forty dollars from Uncle Henry's bank preparatory to a little trip, and decided to have his shoes half-soled and heeled.

Every crisis is led up to by a series of apparently unrelated events. Here was Uncle Henry, figuring his net loss on the String Bean per day. Here was the String Bean, told to deal only with facts. And here was Thomas Baird, who had never heard of either of them, but about to contribute all he had toward a denouement which involved them all.

First of all comes the acquisition by the String Bean of a Ford car.

"Just how long," enquired Uncle Henry that night, "have you been gathering the news in my car?"

The String Bean flushed slightly.

"You might observe to your editors," Uncle Henry said, "that they are not hiring me. Or my car."

The upshot of it was that the String Bean took the two hundred and fifty dollars which was Uncle Henry's annual Christmas gift to him—"Not to spend. To invest"—and bought a second-hand Ford car. As it was this Ford, which was parked in the woodland in New Jersey, and which Uncle Henry heard departing as he lay writhing in the dust, it will bear a little description.

Or perhaps it need not be described. Perhaps it is enough to say that when Uncle Henry saw it parked next to the curb, he called to the butler to go out and sweep it away.

However, because it was his own, Bill loved it. And because it was disreputable, it served its strange later purpose extremely well.

Too Much Style

IF Mary Dunn had any mental reservations when called to inspect the new treasure, she reserved them. "Of course you ought to have a car of your own, Bill. Working the way you do."

"Yeah," said Bill, non-committally. "I recognized several of your articles to-day. I can always tell your style. It's so distinctive."

Something new had entered into the String Bean's soul with the acquisition of that Ford. There is an influence exerted on all of us by our surroundings. Thus, while Uncle Henry's car had had a certain majesty, a sort of solid six per cent, and good collateral appearance, the Ford was undeniably irresponsible, disreputable and reckless.

And the String Bean's imagination made him a victim of it. There was, too, the beginning of a sense of property, and with it that independence of soul which is all property can bring.

And then, one summer night, old Mr. Baird was seen by two persons to enter the shoemaker's shop to get his shoes, which had been half-soled and heeled, and was never seen alive again. He was found next morning in an alleyway with his head bashed in and his one hundred and forty dollars gone.

The String Bean, via the Ford, was there almost as soon as the police, and went a little sick. But he wrote his heart into the story. He wrote with a sob in his throat and a hand that shook a little.

The city editor read the long story. Then he handed it back, with a speech the insulting quality of which only a newspaper man can realize.

"Fine!" he said. "Why don't you send it to a magazine?"

The String Bean gave him a long, long look. Then he picked up his hat and put it on his head.

"That's plenty," he said, and started out.

The editor watched him. He had a sneaking liking for the boy, and certainly that Pierce-Arrow had been useful.

"Drop in and see us now and then," he called. "Let us know how you're getting along."

"When I come back," he stated, "it will be because you send for me."

Just what effect the String Bean's final words to the editor had had on himself is rather hard to say. Nothing on the surface, seemed less likely than that he would ever be sent for.

But after a day or two, much pondering over them began to have the usual effect on his subconscious mind. From a purely rhetorical effort, induced by anger, the idea grew in his mind, fed by his imagination, Visions of himself, stalking on request into the editorial office, and looking man to man at the creature of What, Where, When and Why, accompanied him to bed, and rose with him in the morning.

"Come back!" he would say, lifting his eyebrows. "Why? You didn't think much of me while I was here."

"Well, live and learn," the city editor would say.

"I've just had an offer from the New York Times. But I'll think it over."

He would then depart, closing the door politely, and leave the city editor to long, sad thoughts.

Mysterious Absences

BUT his wound was really a deep one. He had all the usual boy's pride in his first job; in his arrival at independence and man's estate. All the usual boy's fear of failure, covered by a strutting complacency of manner.

He told Uncle Henry that if nothing better turned up soon, he would go into the bank.

"That's very good of you," said Uncle Henry drily. "I appreciate it."

Then, suddenly, the String Bean began to be liable to mysterious absences.

"I wish I knew where Bill goes," said his mother to Uncle Henry one day. "It isn't the Dunn girl, I know that."

"Well, the more he keeps that debauched trap away from the curb, the better I'll be pleased. He doesn't even wash it."

"He says it hurts the varnish."

"Varnish?" said Uncle Henry. "What varnish? It looks like somebody's tin roof, after a cyclone."

And then, without warning, the String Bean disappeared. Ford and all. One moment he was, and the next he was not.

Mary Anne, going in to pull up the shades, found his bed had not been slept in, and reported it to Uncle Henry. Uncle Henry merely nodded and re-read a note in his hand.

"Nothing has happened to me," he

never would have, the slightest proof that Carl Schmidt had done the deed. The third degree and various interesting variations of it having failed, Carl Schmidt was released, and vowed to avenge himself on the city of his adoption by leaving it. Which he did.

A Blank Cartridge

H E had been gone three weeks, and it was ten days after the String Bean had disappeared, when Uncle Henry received a letter at the bank. After a time he rang a bell, and his secretary came in.

"Take this," he said. "To Mr. Frank McBride, Western Union, New York City. Reach New York to-morrow one P. M. Waldorf. Have you lost your mind?"

When Uncle Henry left the bank that afternoon, he carried with him a valise.

At two o'clock the next afternoon there was a knock at Uncle Henry's door in the Waldorf, and Uncle Henry opened it. Outside stood a disreputable individual, who said, "Sign, sir," and held out a package.

"Sign?" said Uncle Henry, who, as a banker was frightfully particular about what he signed. "For what?"

"There's nothing in it," explained the disreputable individual. "But sign anyhow. It's the only way they'd let me up."

Uncle Henry grunted, but he obediently signed, and Mr. Frank McBride, alias the String Bean, entered the room. He was not, as his mother had dreaded, in puris naturalibus, but in what had once been the extreme of fashion on Eighth Avenue, New York City: short coat, much cut in at the waist and belted, tight trousers we'd drawn up and a soft cap. All in a state of extreme disrepair.

"What's all this masquerade?" Uncle Henry demanded.

"Did you bring the bag?"

"I did," said Uncle Henry with grimaces.

"And a revolver?"

"No," said Uncle Henry, firmly.

"Humph! Well, I can get one second hand for eight dollars. Better give me the eight. I'm strapped."

"Not until I know what it's about. And I'll have whatever I signed there, too. I came up here to take you home, and no hocus pocus."

Uncle Henry's voice was raised in exasperation. That was the last time it was raised for some time, for Uncle Henry, as he listened, became literally speechless.

At the end of three minutes or so the String Bean stopped talking, and Uncle Henry moistened his lips.

"That's all," said the String Bean.

"All? Why, your infernal young idiot."

"I won't take five minutes. And you needn't speak a word."

"I'm speaking right now."

"Just fall, you know. Toward the gun. They always fall towards the gun, you know."

Uncle Henry went a trifle pale.

"I certainly counted on you, sir," the String Bean went on. "It's the chance of a life-time. I've worked hard to get this far, too. He was suspicious, and he's got no imagination."

"Imagination!" wailed Uncle Henry. "Suppose it gets in the papers?"

"I'm doing it to get it in the papers. One paper first. I can't pull it off without you, sir. And a blank cartridge is harmless."

"How do you know it'll be a blank?" said Uncle Henry. "There might be a mistake somewhere."

"I'll take care of that," he surveyed Uncle Henry carefully. "I certainly am glad I thought of you," he reflected. "You look like a million dollars worth of respectability. I couldn't use a bull. They all look alike."

The Hold Up

WHETHER Uncle Henry knew that a bull was a detective, or

whether he believed the reference to be to a cow of the male persuasion, is not pertinent here. What is pertinent is that one-half hour later the String Bean rose from the bed and wrung Uncle Henry's hand.

"I knew you'd do it," he said. "You've got imagination."

The following day the city editor of the String Bean's whilom newspaper received a bulky manuscript in a sealed envelope, enclosed in another and accompanied by a letter.

"Dear Mr. Wheeler: Immediately on receipt of wire or long distance message from me read enclosed story. Advise getting out extra. You will be on the street six hours before the rest."

"Yours very truly,

"WILLIAM WHITMORE."

"P. S.: What price imagination?"

At nine o'clock on the morning of the following day two youths left a lodging house in lower New York in an ancient Ford and took their way by the ferry to New Jersey.

One of them was a heavy-faced individual, lowering and suspicious. The other, easy, natty, and wedged tight beneath the steering wheel, was the String Bean. So calm were the hands with which he lighted his cigar that the other youth eyed him.

"Nothing wrong with your nerves, McBride," he said.

"You're new to it, Carl. That's all," said the String Bean.

At half-past ten the String Bean hid the Ford in a woods a mile or so from the railway station of a small industrial town in New Jersey, looked at his watch, and lighted another cigar.

"Almost time," he observed. "He always takes this cut-off to the factory. Bag's heavy, and it's shorter."

Carl looked around. The place was deserted and wild; his admiration for his companion went up as his courage went down. It is one thing to hit an elderly veteran from the rear with a paving block at night, and quite another to face an armed paymaster in full daylight.

"Some of these fellows are mighty quick with a gun," he said.

A vision of Uncle Henry reaching back to his flask pocket flashed through the String Bean's mind.

"Look here," he said. "I don't want any quitters around me. I'm not asking you to do anything am I? You stay back. This is my job."

He then tied a handkerchief over the lower part of his face, and examined a revolver for which he had paid eight dollars of Uncle Henry's perfectly good money, and with which he now proposed to murder Uncle Henry.

At ten forty-five a middle-aged gentleman, very pale, and clutching a paymaster's bag in his hand, got out of a train at the railway station, and tottered to a seat inside the building.

Finally he got feebly to his feet, and struck out along a path which led through a field toward a bit of woodland. Had he been interested in his surroundings he would have seen the chimneys of a large industrial plant beyond the trees. But he was not interested.

"Hands Up!"

BY the time he reached the woodland he was in a state of furious indignation. He had made up his mind to stop this nonsense then and there. So when a masked figure stepped out into the pathway ahead of him, revolver leveled, and called sharply, "Hands up!" Uncle Henry had totally forgotten the part he was to play.

"Stop this nonsense!" he roared. "If you think for a minute—"

Suddenly the String Bean fired, and Uncle Henry fell, face downward on the ground, writhing convulsively. It is doubtful if he even knew, for some minutes, that he was alone, or heard the distant chugging of a Ford car.

"Detective work!" said the String Bean scornfully. "It was a matter of pure psychology. Psychology and imagination."

"And you're going back on the paper?"

"I haven't decided yet," said the String Bean languidly. "They want me. They'll double my salary, but—"

"But what, Bill?"

"They don't talk my language. That's all. Did you see that poem they published to-night? Horrible."

"Bill," she said softly, "you've never recited any of your poetry to me. I know you write it. I've seen you."

He was touched. He leaned back on the step to look up at her, and then reached up and took her hand.

"Well, listen to this," he said. And in a low, tense voice, the free hand pointing out over the Dunn lawn, he began:

"This is the sea! Which the poets describe Boundless and deep, and full of the love and hate of a woman."

Mary Dunn closed her eyes in ecstasy.

THE HUSTLER

NO doubt the low lights and the seductive strains of the lifting waltz that had just reached its final bars were responsible for the wave of sentiment which swept over the young man as he escorted his young partner to the lounge.

He fumbled for her hand as they sat down, and then he whispered:

"Darling—oh, darling girl, I love you!"

"But," exclaimed the girl, "how could you? You've only known me an hour!"

"Yes, I know, darling," explained the youth as he squeezed her hand the tighter; "but remember I'm only down here for the week-end!"

HE KNEW HIMSELF

NOW, Albert," said the teacher "if you had four apples, and your little sister asked for half of them, how many would you have left?"

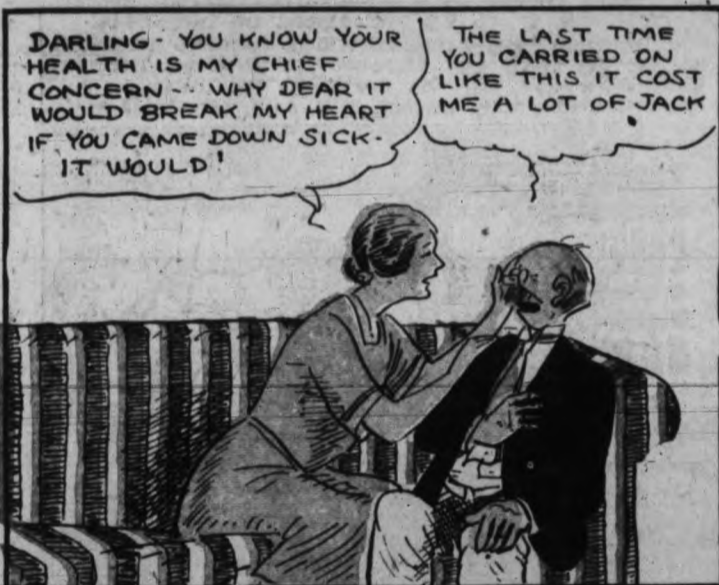
"Four!" responded Albert, without a moment's hesitation.

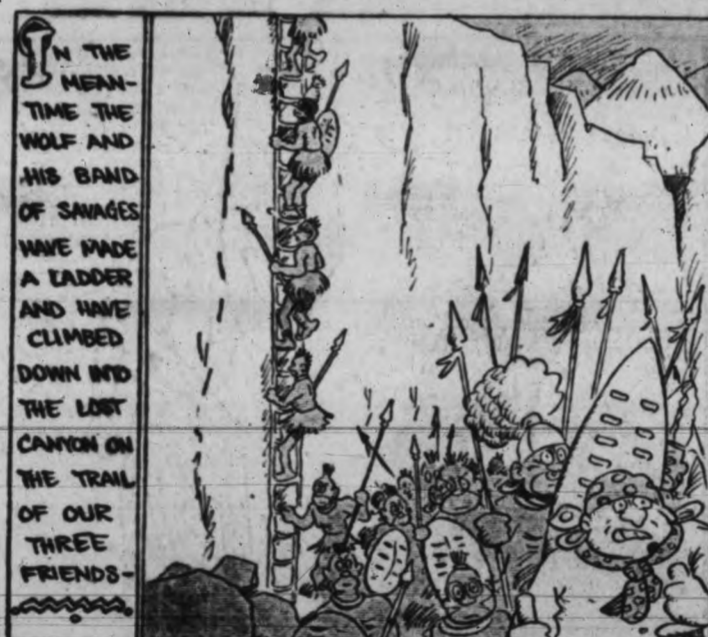
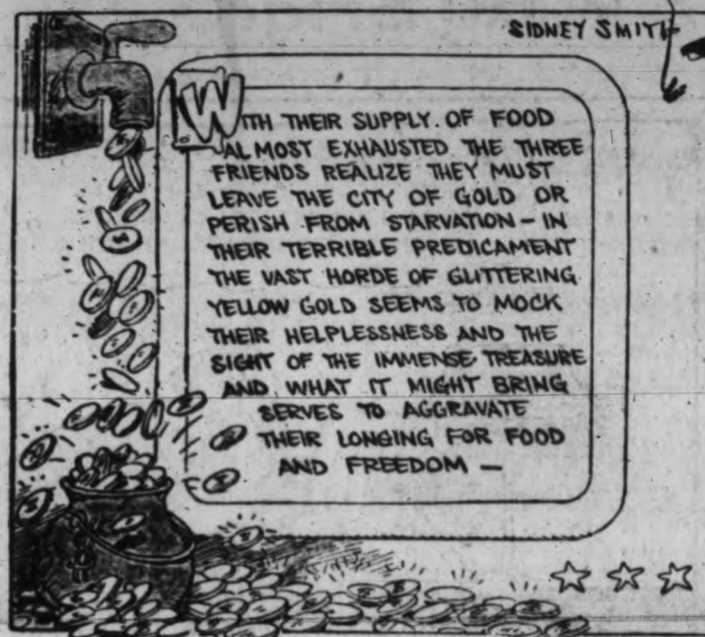


Uncle Henry was stupefied to see the auto, which was supposed to be safely at home, racing to a fire.

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